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**Les azasulfurylpeptides :
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Résumé

Les azasulfurylpeptides sont des mimes peptidiques auxquels le carbone en position alpha et le carbonyle d'un acide aminé sont respectivement remplacés par un atome d'azote et un groupement sulfonyl (SO_2). Le but premier de ce projet a été de développer une nouvelle méthode de synthèse de ces motifs, également appelés *N*-aminosulfamides. À cette fin, l'utilisation de sulfamidates de 4-nitrophénol s'est avérée importante dans la synthèse des azasulfuryltripectides, permettant le couplage d'hydrazides avec l'aide d'irradiation aux micro-ondes (Chapitre 2). Par la suite, en quantité stœchiométrique d'une base et d'un halogénure d'alkyle, les azasulfurylglycines (AsG) formés peuvent être chimiosélectivement alkylés afin d'y insérer diverses chaînes latérales. Les propriétés conformationnelles des *N*-aminosulfamides à l'état solide ont été élucidées grâce à des études cristallographiques par rayons X : elles possèdent une structure tétraédrique autour de l'atome de soufre, des traits caractéristiques des azapeptides et des sulfonamides, ainsi que du potentiel à favoriser la formation de tours γ (Chapitre 3).

Après le développement d'une méthode de synthèse des *N*-aminosulfamides en solution, une approche combinatoire sur support solide a également été élaborée sur la résine amide de Rink afin de faciliter la génération d'une librairie d'azasulfurylpeptides. Cette étude a été réalisée en employant le *growth hormone releasing peptide 6* (GHRP-6, His-D-Trp-Ala-Trp-D-Phe-Lys-NH₂). Ce dernier est un hexapeptide possédant une affinité pour deux récepteurs, le *growth hormone secretagogue receptor 1a* (GHS-R1a) et le récepteur *cluster of differentiation 36* (CD36). Une affinité sélective envers le récepteur CD36 confère des propriétés thérapeutiques dans le traitement de la dégénérescence maculaire liée à l'âge (DMLA). Six analogues d'azasulfurylpeptides de GHRP-6 utilisés comme ligands du CD36 ont été synthétisés sur support solide, mettant en évidence le remplacement du tryptophane à la position 4 de GHRP-6 (Chapitre 4).

Les analogues de GHRP-6 ont été ensuite analysés pour leur capacité à moduler les effets de la fonction et de la cascade de signalisation des ligands spécifiques au *Toll-like receptor 2* (TLR2), en collaboration avec le Professeur Huy Ong du département de Pharmacologie à la Faculté de Pharmacie de l'Université de Montréal. Le complexe TLR2-TLR6 est reconnu pour

être co-exprimé et modulé par CD36. En se liant au CD36, certains ligands de GHRP-6 ont eu un effet sur la signalisation du TLR2. Par exemple, les azasulfurylpeptides [AsF(4-F)⁴]- et [AsF(4-MeO)⁴]-GHRP-6 ont démontré une capacité à empêcher la surproduction du monoxyde d'azote (NO), un sous-produit réactif formé suite à l'induction d'un signal dans les macrophages par des ligands spécifiques liés au TLR2, tel le *fibroblast-stimulating lipopeptide 1* (R-FSL-1) et l'acide lipotéichoïque (LTA). En addition, la sécrétion du *tumor necrosis factor alpha* (TNF α) et du *monocyte chemoattractant protein 1* (MCP-1), ainsi que l'activation du *nuclear factor kappa-light-chain-enhancer of activated B cells* (NF- κ B), ont été réduites. Ces résultats démontrent le potentiel de ces azasulfurylpeptides à pouvoir réguler le rôle du TLR2 qui déclenche des réponses inflammatoires et immunitaires innées (Perspectives).

Finalement, le potentiel des azasulfurylpeptides d'inhiber des métallo- β -lactamases, tels le *New-Delhi Metallo- β -lactamase 1* (NDM-1), IMP-1 et le *Verona Integron-encoded Metallo- β -lactamase 2* (VIM-2), a été étudié en collaboration avec le Professeur James Spencer de l'Université de Bristol (Royaumes-Unis). Certains analogues ont été des inhibiteurs micromolaires du IMP-1 (Perspectives).

Ces nouvelles voies de synthèse des azasulfurylpeptides en solution et sur support solide devraient donc permettre leur utilisation dans des études de relations structure-activité avec différents peptides biologiquement actifs. En plus d'expandre l'application des azasulfurylpeptides comme inhibiteurs d'enzymes, cette thèse a révélé le potentiel de ces *N*-aminosulfamides à mimer les structures secondaires peptidiques, tels que les tours γ . À cet égard, l'application des azasulfurylpeptides a été démontrée par la synthèse de ligands du CD36 présentant des effets modulateurs sur le TLR2. Compte tenu de leur synthèse efficace et de leur potentiel en tant qu'inhibiteurs, les azasulfurylpeptides devraient trouver une large utilisation dans les sciences de peptides pour des applications dans la médecine et de la chimie biologique.

Mots-clés : Mimes peptidiques, Azasulfurylpeptides, *N*-Aminosulfamides, Alkylation chimio-sélective, GHRP-6, CD36, TLR2, Régulation des réponses inflammatoires et immunitaires innées, Inhibiteurs de métallo- β -lactamases.

Abstract

The azasulfurylpeptides are peptide mimics in which the alpha carbon and the carbonyl of an amino acid residue are respectively replaced by a nitrogen atom and a sulfonyl group (SO₂). The primary goal of this doctorate project was to develop a new effective method for the synthesis of these motifs, also called *N*-aminosulfamides. Towards this aim, the use of 4-nitrophenyl sulfamidates turned out to be important in the synthesis of azasulfuryltripeptides, allowing hydrazide couplings under micro-wave irradiation (Chapter 2). Side-chain diversity was then added using a stoichiometric amount of base and different alkyl halides to alkylate chemoselectively the azasulfurylglycine (AsG) residue. The conformational properties of the *N*-aminosulfamides in the solid state were studied using X-Ray crystallography, which showed a tetrahedral geometry about the sulfur atom, features of azapeptides and sulfonamides, as well as potential to favor the formation of γ turns (Chapter 3).

Following the development of the synthesis of these *N*-aminosulfamides in solution, a combinatorial approach on solid support was elaborated on Rink amide resin to generate a library of azasulfurylpeptides. The study was performed using the Growth Hormone Releasing Peptide 6 (GHRP-6, His-D-Trp-Ala-Trp-D-Phe-Lys-NH₂). The latter is a hexapeptide that has affinity for two receptors, the Growth Hormone Secretagogue Receptor 1a (GHS-R1a) and the Cluster of Differentiation 36 (CD36) receptor. Selective binding to the CD36 receptor has therapeutic potential in the treatment of age-related macular degeneration (AMD). Six azasulfurylpeptide analogs were synthesized on solid support by replacing tryptophan at the 4th position of GHRP-6 with different *N*-aminosulfamide residues (Chapter 4).

The GHRP-6 analogs were tested for their ability to mediate the effects of receptor-specific ligands on the function and downstream signaling of the Toll-Like Receptor 2 (TLR2), in collaboration with Professor Huy Ong at the department of Pharmacology in the Faculty of Pharmacy at the Université de Montréal. The TLR2-TLR6 complex is known to be co-expressed and modulated by CD36. On binding to CD36, certain GHRP-6 ligands exhibited effects on the signaling of TLR2. For example, the azasulfurylpeptides [4-F-AsF⁴]- and [4-MeO-AsF⁴]-GHRP-6 prevented the overproduction of nitric oxide (NO), a reactive oxygen species formed following the induction of signal in macrophages on binding of TLR2-specific ligands, such as

the Fibroblast-Stimulating Lipopeptide 1 (R-FSL-1) and lipoteichoic acid (LTA). Furthermore, the secretion of the Tumor Necrosis Factor Alpha (TNF α) and Monocyte Chemoattractant Protein 1 (MCP-1), as well as the activation of the Nuclear Factor Kappa-light-chain-enhancer of activated B cells (NF- κ B), all were reduced. These results offer promise for regulating Toll-like receptor roles in triggering innate immunity and inflammatory responses (Perspectives).

Finally, the potential of the azasulfurylpeptides to inhibit metallo- β -lactamases, such as the New-Delhi Metallo- β -lactamase 1 (NDM-1), IMP-1 and the Verona Integron-encoded Metallo- β -lactamase 2 (VIM-2), has been studied in collaboration with Professor James Spencer at the University of Bristol (United-Kingdom). Some analogs were micromolar inhibitors of IMP-1 (Perspectives).

These new approaches for the synthesis of azasulfurylpeptides in solution and on solid support should enable their use in studies of structure-activity relationships with different biologically active peptides. In addition to expanding the application of azasulfurylpeptides as enzyme inhibitors, this thesis has revealed the potential of these *N*-aminosulfamides to mimic the peptide secondary structures, such as γ turns. Application of azasulfurylpeptides in this respect has been demonstrated by the synthesis of CD36 ligands exhibiting modulatory effects on the TLR2. Considering their effective synthesis and potential as inhibitors, azasulfurylpeptides should find broad use in peptide science for applications in medicine and chemical biology.

Keywords: Peptide mimicry, Azasulfurylpeptides, *N*-Aminosulfamides, Chemoselective alkylation, GHRP-6, CD36, TLR2, Regulation of innate immunity and inflammatory responses, Metallo- β -lactamases inhibitors.

Notes

Je tiens à préciser ma contribution pour chacun des chapitres qui composent cette thèse par articles :

- Chapitre 1 : J'ai entièrement rédigé l'introduction de ma thèse.
- Chapitre 2 : Les sulfamidates présentés dans l'article 1 (Org. Lett. **2012**) ont été synthétisés avec l'aide de Samir Bouayad-Gervais. Par la suite, les couplages des hydrazides aux sulfamidates, ainsi que les alkylations chimiosélectives sur les azasulfurylglycines, ont entièrement été réalisés par moi. J'ai finalement écrit la première version de l'article, auquel le Professeur William D. Lubell a commenté et corrigé avant soumission. Dans l'article 2 (Proceedings **2012**), la comparaison entre le BTPP et l'hydroxyde de tétraéthylammonium (Et₄NOH) a été réalisé avec l'aide de Thierry Havard. J'ai par la suite participé au 32nd *European Peptide Symposium* en Grèce où cet abrégé de conférence a été rédigé par moi, sous la supervision du Pr. Lubell.
- Chapitre 3 : La rédaction de l'article 3 [Biopolymers (Pept. Sci.) **2015**] a également été rédigée par moi, sous la supervision du Pr. Lubell. L'utilisation de l'appareil à rayons X pour la résolution des structures des deux cristaux présentés dans cet article a été réalisée par Francine Bélanger à l'Université de Montréal.
- Chapitre 4 : L'article 4 (en préparation pour Org. Lett.) présente la synthèse sur support solide de six analogues [azasulfuryl⁴]-GHRP-6. Bien que la méthodologie ait été développée par moi, Lylia Dif-Yaiche a synthétisé entièrement l'analogue [Ala¹, AsF(4-F)⁴]-GHRP-6 (**134**). Les 5 autres ont été accomplis par moi. La préparation de cet article a été rédigée par moi, sous la supervision du Pr. Lubell.
- Chapitre 5 : La rédaction de ce chapitre présentant les analyses biologiques réalisées à ce jour sur les azasulfurylpeptides a entièrement été effectuée par moi. Toutefois, les résultats présentés dans ce chapitre n'ont pas été réalisés par moi. Les tests biologiques sur la modulation du *Toll-like receptor 2* (TLR2) ont été accomplis par Katia Mellal et Mukandila Mulumba, sous la supervision du Professeur Huy Ong à l'Université de Montréal. Les tests d'affinité envers CD36 par résonance des plasmons de surface ont été accomplis par Jérémie

Labrecque-Carbonneau, sous la supervision du Professeur Jean-François Masson à l'Université de Montréal. Finalement, l'analyse computationnelle d'une série d'inhibiteurs potentiels de métallo- β -lactamases a été effectuée par Ricky Cain dans le groupe du Pr. Colin Fishwick à l'Université de Leeds, tandis que les tests biologiques ont été réalisés par Ramya Salimraj, sous la supervision du Professeur James Spencer à l'Université de Bristol.

- Chapitre 6 : J'ai entièrement rédigé la conclusion de cette thèse.

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[α]	Rotation spécifique [en (deg * mL / g * dm)]
Ac	Acétyle
AcOH	Acide acétique
ADN	Acide désoxyribonucléique
Ala	Alanine
Alloc	Allyloxycarbonyl
AMD	<i>Age-related macular degeneration</i>
Ar	Aryle
AsF	Azasulfurylphénylalanine
AsG	Azasulfurylglycine
AsY	Azasulfuryltyrosine
Bn	Benzyle
Boc	<i>tert</i> -Butyloxycarbonyl
br	<i>Broad</i> (en RMN)
BTTP	<i>tert</i> -Butylimino-tri(pyrrolidino)phosphorane
°C	Degré Celsius
Cbz	Benzyloxycarbonyl
CD36	<i>Cluster of differentiation 36</i>
COSY	<i>Correlated spectroscopy</i>
CPA	Carboxypeptidase A
δ	Déplacement chimique en ppm (en RMN)
d	Doublet (en RMN)
DCE	1,2-Dichloroéthane
DCM	Dichlorométhane
dd	Doublet de doublet (en RMN)
deg	Degré
DIC	<i>N,N</i> -Diisopropylcarbodiimide
DIEA	<i>N,N</i> -Diisopropyléthylamine
DMF	<i>N,N</i> -Diméthylformamide

DMLA	Dégénérescence maculaire liée à l'âge
DMSO	Diméthylsulfoxyde
DMTr	4,4'-Diméthoxytrityle
ESI	<i>Electrospray ionization</i>
Et	Éthyle
Et ₂ O	Éther diéthylique
EtOAc	Acétate d'éthyle
EtOH	Éthanol
éq	Équivalent
FA	Acide formique
Fmoc	Fluorénylméthyloxycarbonyle
Fmoc-OSu	Hydroxysuccinimide de fluorénylméthyloxycarbonyle
g	Gramme(s)
GHRP-6	<i>Growth hormone releasing peptide 6</i>
GHS-R1a	<i>Growth hormone secretagogue receptor 1a</i>
h	Heure(s)
H ₂ SO ₄	Acide sulfurique
HBTU	<i>O</i> -Benzotriazol-1-yl- <i>N,N,N',N'</i> -tétraméthyluronium hexafluorophosphate
His	Histidine
HIV-1	<i>Human immunodeficiency virus 1</i>
HMBC	<i>Heteronuclear Multiple Bond Correlation</i>
HOBt	Hydroxybenzotriazole
HPLC	<i>High performance liquid chromatography</i>
HPV	<i>Human Papillomavirus</i>
HRMS	<i>High resolution mass spectrometry</i>
IBC	Chloroformate d'isobutyle
IBX	Acide <i>o</i> -iodobenzoïque
IFN γ	Interferon γ
IPNBSh	Hydrazide du <i>N</i> -isopropylidène- <i>N'</i> -2-nitrobenzènesulfonyle
<i>i</i> Pr	<i>iso</i> -Propyle

IR	Infrarouge
<i>J</i>	Constante de couplage (en RMN)
KOtBu	<i>tert</i> -butoxyde de potassium
L	Litre
LCMS	<i>Liquid chromatography mass spectrometry</i>
Leu	Leucine
LTA	Acide lipotéichoïque
Lys	Lysine
M	Mole(s) par litre
m	Multiplet (en RMN)
MCP-1	<i>Monocyte chemoattractant protein 1</i>
Me	Méthyle
MeOH	Méthanol
MHz	Mégahertz (en RMN)
mp	<i>Melting point</i>
NaOMe	Méthoxyde de sodium
NDM-1	<i>New-Delhi Metallo-β-lactamase 1</i>
NEt ₃	Triéthylamine
NEt ₄ OH	Hydroxyde de tétraéthylammonium
NF-κB	<i>Nuclear factor kappa-light-chain-enhancer of activated B cells</i>
NMM	<i>N</i> -méthylmorpholine
NMR	<i>Nuclear magnetic resonance</i>
NO	Monoxyde d'azote
Ph	Phényle
Phe	Phénylalanine
ppm	Partie par million (en RMN)
Pro	Proline
Pyr	Pyridine
q	Quadruplet (en RMN)
R5L	Règles de cinq de Lipinski
R-FSL-1	<i>Fibroblast-Stimulating Lipopeptide 1</i>

R _f	Facteur de rétention (en chromatographie)
RMN	Résonance magnétique nucléaire
RP	<i>Reverse phase</i>
RT	<i>Retention time</i>
rt	<i>Room temperature</i>
s	Singulet (en RMN)
SbCl ₅	Chlorure d'antimoine (V)
SO ₂	Dioxyde de soufre
SO ₂ Cl ₂	Chlorure de sulfuryle
SPSS	Synthèse peptidique sur support solide
T	Thymine (ADN)
t	Triplet (en RMN)
TBDMS	<i>tert</i> -Butyldiméthylsilyle
TBTU	<i>O</i> -Benzotriazol-1-yl- <i>N,N,N',N'</i> -tétraméthyluronium tetrafluoroborate
<i>t</i> Bu	<i>tert</i> -Butyle
<i>t</i> BuOAc	Acétate de <i>tert</i> -butyle
TEA	Triéthylamine
TES	Triéthylsilane
TFA	Acide trifluoroacétique
THF	Tétrahydrofurane
TLC	<i>Thin layer chromatography</i>
TLR2	<i>Toll-Like Receptor 2</i>
TM	Tamis moléculaire
TNF(α)	<i>Tumor necrosis factor (alpha)</i>
Tr	Trityle
Val	Valine
VIM-2	<i>Verona Integron-encoded Metallo-β-lactamase 2</i>

À ma grand-mère, atteinte de la dégénérescence maculaire liée à l'âge.

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Chapitre 1 : Introduction

1.1. Les peptides en tant que médicaments

1.1.1. Début du 20^e siècle

En comparaison avec les protéines, un peptide est arbitrairement défini comme une molécule contenant moins de 50 acides aminés. Au début du 20^e siècle, les peptides n'étaient pas considérés comme de bons candidats dans le développement de médicaments. En effet, les petits peptides ayant une faible masse moléculaire (< 500 Da) souffrent souvent de faibles sélectivités envers les récepteurs, ce qui se manifeste généralement par la présence d'effets secondaires.¹ De plus, les peptides sont généralement connus pour être instables métaboliquement, être éliminés rapidement, avoir une faible perméabilité avec les membranes et ne pouvant pas être administrés oralement. Quant aux protéines (> 5000 Da), malgré leur spécificité envers leurs récepteurs, elles sont généralement peu biodisponibles.¹ Également, d'après les « règles de cinq de Lipinski » (R5L), une substance aura une forte probabilité d'être peu absorbée ou de difficilement pénétrer la membrane si :^{2, 3}

1. Sa masse moléculaire est supérieure à 500 Da;
2. Elle possède plus de 5 donneurs de liaisons hydrogène (somme des groupements OH et NH);
3. Elle possède plus de 10 accepteurs de liaisons hydrogène (somme des atomes N et O);
4. Sa valeur de log *P* est supérieure à 5.

Considérant qu'un peptide dépasse rapidement les 500 Da après seulement cinq acides aminés, il n'est pas surprenant que les peptides n'étaient pas considérés par les compagnies pharmaceutiques au début du 20^e siècle dans le développement de médicaments.

1.1.2. Fin du 20^e siècle

Toutefois, avec les nouvelles techniques d'expressions, de purification et d'analyse de protéines de plus en plus efficaces, de nouvelles classes de molécules thérapeutiques ont commencé à émerger vers la fin du 20^e siècle.¹ Dans la classe des anticorps et protéines, on retrouve comme exemples : Adalimumab / Humira Pen,⁴ Etanercept / Enbrel⁵ et Infliximab / Remicade⁶ (arthrite rhumatoïde), Rituximab / Rituxan⁷ (lymphomes non-Hodgkinien), Bevacizumab / Avastin⁸ (cancer colorectal), ainsi que Trastuzumab / Herceptin⁹ (cancer du sein).

Dans la classe des protéines injectables, on retrouve entre autres : l'insuline Glargine/Lantus¹⁰ (diabète de type I et II), Neulasta/Pegfilgrastim¹¹ (neutropénie, c'est-à-dire un déficit dans la quantité de neutrophiles causé par la chimiothérapie), Epogen¹² (anémie rénale) et Avonex¹³ (sclérose en plaques). Finalement, dans la classe des peptides injectables, des exemples comprennent : Copaxone/Glatiramer acetate¹⁴ (sclérose en plaques), Lupron / Leuprorelin¹⁵ et Zoladex / Goserelin¹⁶ (cancers du sein et de la prostate), ainsi que Sandostatin / Octreotide¹⁷ (inhibiteur de la sécrétion de l'hormone de croissance) et Velcade / Bortezomib¹⁸ (myélome multiple et leucémie).

Ces molécules, correspondant à la classe des « biologiques », ne respectent pas les R5L et doivent par conséquent être administrées par des injections intraveineuses. Ces biologiques font désormais parti des différentes catégories de molécules ayant connu et connaissant du succès en tant que médicaments. Dans la classe des peptides, suite au développement de la synthèse peptidique sur support solide (SPSS) par Merrifield en 1963,¹⁹ l'exploration des peptides en tant que médicaments a connu un essor remarquable étant donné leur plus grande facilité de synthèse. Bons nombres d'efforts se tournent vers la recherche de nouveaux médicaments auxquels les masses moléculaires des peptides synthétisés se situeraient entre les petites molécules (< 500 Da) et les biologiques (> 5000 Da). Ceci serait dans le but d'éviter les problèmes de sélectivité et de biodisponibilité qui sont respectivement associés aux petites et grosses molécules.

Afin de surmonter les problèmes liés à l'utilisation des peptides comme médicaments, une chimie visant à modifier certaines propriétés des peptides, comme par exemples leur profil pharmacocinétique (absorption, biodisponibilité, temps de demi-vie), leur structure secondaire (ou tridimensionnelle) et leur activité biologique, a rapidement connu un essor, soit la chimie peptidomimétique.

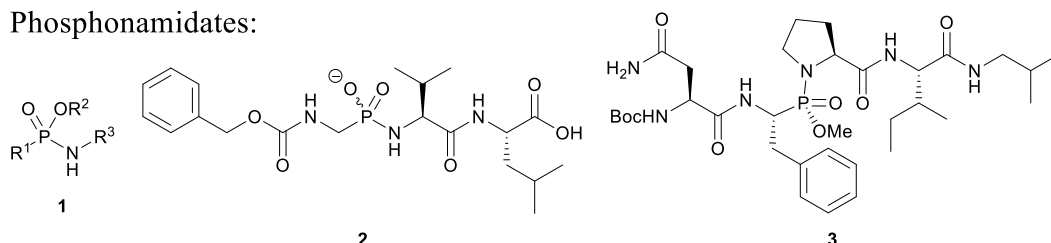
1.2. Inhibiteurs d'enzymes

Dans la recherche d'inhibiteurs d'enzymes, le concept de mimer l'état de transition dans l'hydrolyse des amides a grandement été étudié. Par exemple, la modification du lien amide des peptides a pour but de créer des inhibiteurs compétitifs dont la géométrie structurale

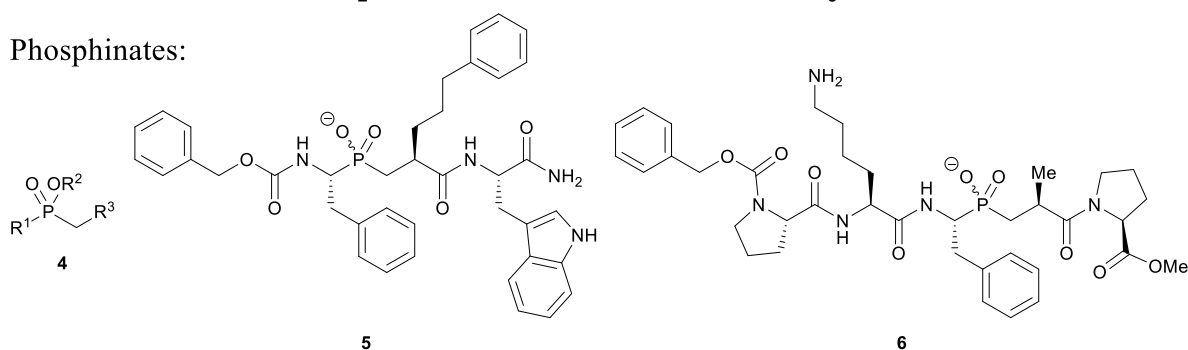
tétraédrique ressemble à l'intermédiaire *gem*-diolate formé dans le mécanisme de l'hydrolyse des amides catalysés par les enzymes.

1.2.1. Les phosphonamidates, phosphinates et phosphonates

Phosphonamidates:



Phosphinates:



Phosphonates:

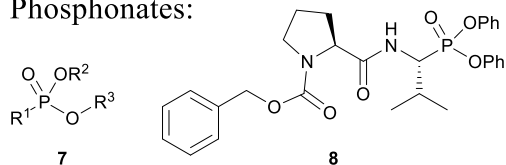


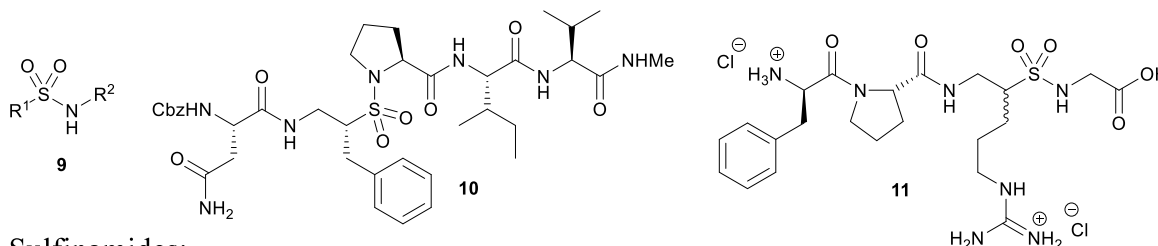
Figure 1.1. Exemples d'inhibiteurs phosphorés : les phosphonamidates, phosphinates et phosphonates.

À titre d'exemples, les phosphonamidates (**1**), les phosphinates (**4**) et les phosphonates (**7**) font parties des classes importantes de mimes peptidiques contenant un atome de phosphore pouvant mimer les états de transition dans l'hydrolyse des amides (Figure 1.1). Les phosphonamidates ont servi d'inhibiteurs de protéases de zinc, telle la carboxypeptidase A (CPA),^{20, 21} la collagénase neutrophile humaine²² et la thermolysine (**2**),^{23, 24} car ils peuvent coordonner avec le zinc afin d'inhiber leur fonction dans la processus d'hydrolyse. Ils ont également permis de développer des inhibiteurs de la protéinase de l'immunodéficience humaine-1 (HIV-1, **3**)^{25, 26} et du peptidyl-prolyl *cis-trans* isomérase.²⁷ Les phosphinates ont été illustrés dans des exemples d'inhibition de la famille des matrixines (**5**)²⁸ et de l'astacine (**6**),²⁹

d'autres classes de métallopeptidases. Quant aux phosphonates, ils ont été utilisés dans des inhibiteurs irréversibles de protéases à sérines, comme la chymotrypsine (**8**).³⁰

1.2.2. Les sulfonamides et sulfinamides

Sulfonamides:



Sulfinamides:

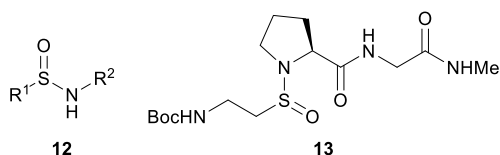
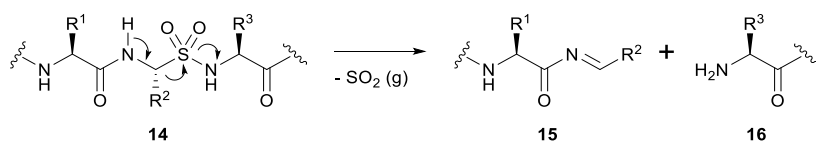


Figure 1.2. Exemples d'inhibiteurs soufrés : les sulfonamides et sulfinamides.

En revanche, les sulfonamides (**9**) et les sulfinamides (**12**) contiennent un atome de soufre pouvant avoir la géométrie tétraédrique désirée (Figure 1.2). Tout comme les dérivés phosphorylés, des recherches ont été effectuées dans la synthèse d'inhibiteurs de la protéinase de HIV-1 (**10**)^{31, 32} et de la thermolysine.³³ D'autres exemples de sulfonamides impliquent des inhibiteurs de la thrombine (**11**),³⁴ une protéase à sérine, et de ligases de muramyle,³⁵ responsables dans la biosynthèse de peptidoglycanes. La synthèse des sulfonamides dérive des sulfinamides auxquels une étape d'oxydation est nécessaire.³¹⁻³⁶ Les sulfinamides peuvent également être utilisés dans la synthèse potentielle d'inhibiteurs de HIV-1 (**13**).³² Il est important de mentionner que la synthèse des α -aminosulfonamides (**14**) est impossible, car une β -élimination survient, menant à la formation d'imines *N*-acylés (**15**, Schéma 1.1).³⁷

Schéma 1.1. Décomposition des α -aminosulfonamides.

α -Aminosulfonamides



1.3. Contraintes covalentes pour favoriser des tours

Dans le but de synthétiser des inhibiteurs ayant une conformation précise, plusieurs contraintes covalentes insérées dans les peptides ont été développées afin de favoriser la formation de tours β et γ . La présence de tels tours peut influencer l'activité biologique des peptides. Un tour est une structure secondaire d'un peptide ou d'une protéine et correspond à une inversion de la direction de la chaîne peptidique. Il implique 4 acides aminés pour un tour β (i à $i+3$) et 3 acides aminés pour un tour γ (i à $i+2$), auquel la distance entre le premier et le dernier acide aminé du tour est inférieur à 7 Å. De plus, les tours possèdent généralement une liaison hydrogène entre le carbonyle du premier résidu et l'amide du dernier acide aminé.

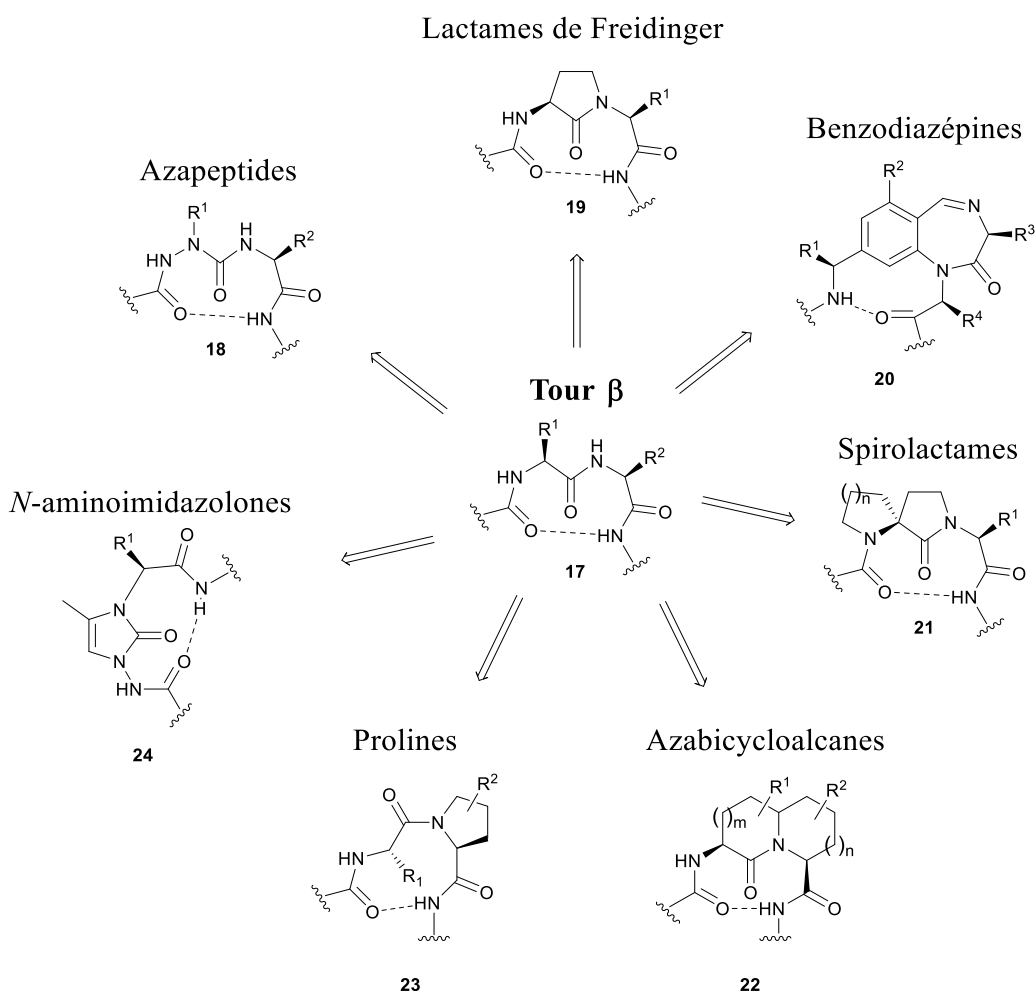


Figure 1.3. Exemples de contraintes covalentes utilisées dans la formation de tours β .

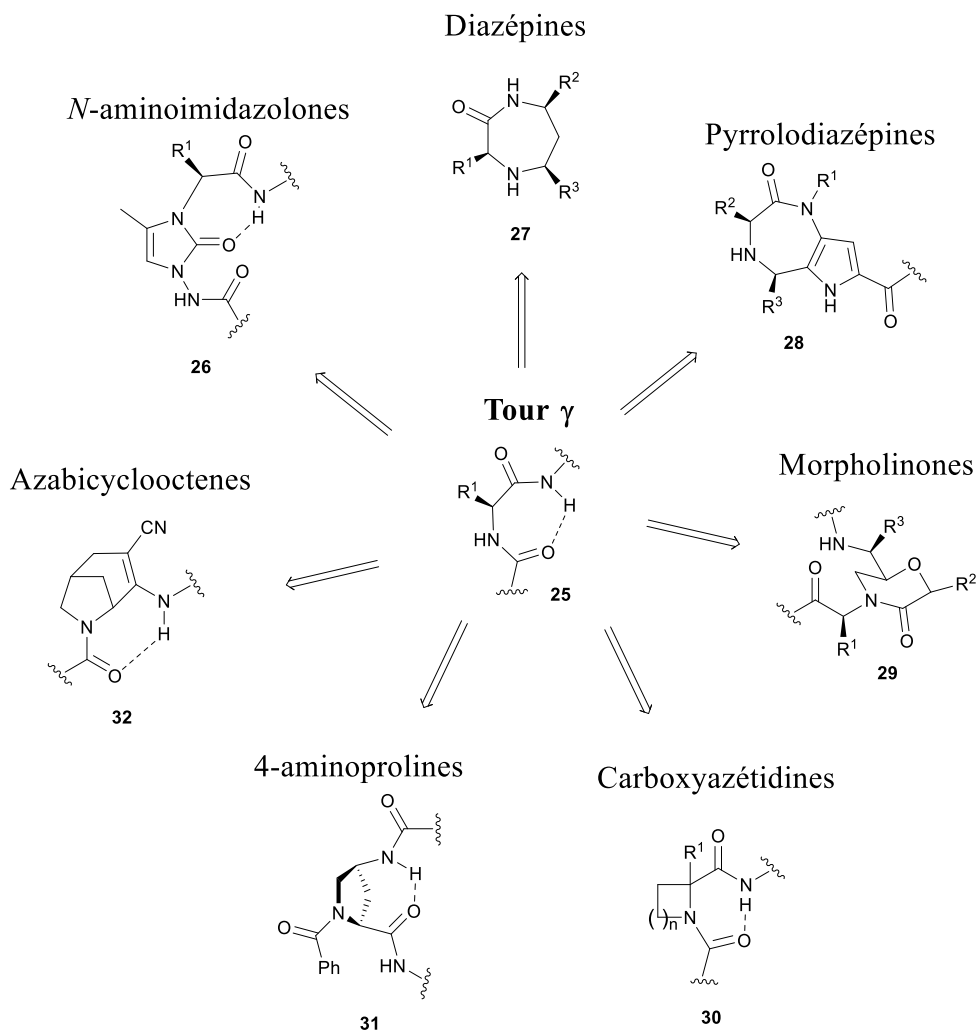


Figure 1.4. Exemples de contraintes covalentes utilisées dans la formation de tours γ .

Les aza-peptides (**18**),³⁸⁻⁴⁰ les lactames de Freidinger (**19**),⁴¹⁻⁴⁵ les benzodiazépines (**20**),⁴⁶ les spirolactames (**21**),⁴⁷⁻⁴⁹ les azabicycloalcanes (**22**),⁵⁰⁻⁵⁴ les dérivés de prolines (**23**)⁵⁵⁻⁵⁷ et les *N*-aminoimidazolones (**25**)⁵⁸⁻⁶⁰ sont tous des exemples impliqués dans la formation de tours β (Figure 1.3). Les tours β sont essentiels à la reconnaissance lors de la liaison d'un ligand à son récepteur.⁶¹ Quant aux mimes de tours γ , on retrouve les *N*-aminoimidazolones (**26**)^{58, 59}, les diazépines (**27**),⁶²⁻⁶⁴ les pyrrolodiazépines (**28**),⁶⁵ les morpholinones (**29**),⁶⁶ les carboxyazétidines (**30**),⁶⁷ les 4-aminoprolines (**31**)⁶⁸ et les azabicyclooctène (**32**)⁶⁹ (Figure 1.4). Les tours γ sont particulièrement importants dans l'activité biologique de récepteurs couplés à la protéine G.¹ Tous ces exemples illustrent bien l'intérêt porté au développement de nouvelles conformations qui seront utilisées dans des peptides biologiquement actifs.

1.4. Les azasulfurylpeptides

Les azasulfurylpeptides (**33**), ou *N*-aminosulfamides, ont été introduits par le professeur John Jones à l'université de Oxford en 1994 et constituent une nouvelle classe de mimes peptidiques auxquels le carbone en position alpha et le carbonyle d'un acide aminé sont respectivement remplacés par un atome d'azote et un groupement sulfonyle (Figure 1.5).⁷⁰ La capacité des azasulfurylpeptides de pouvoir mimer l'intermédiaire tétraédrique dans l'hydrolyse des liens amides a été exploitée par l'insertion d'un azasulfurylphénylalanine (AsF) dans une séquence d'un substrat de HIV-1. Cette modification a eu comme effet d'engendrer un inhibiteur de HIV-1 possédant une constante d'inhibition de 27 μ M (**34**, Figure 1.5).⁷¹ Ces motifs constituent donc une alternative intéressante aux α -aminosulfonamides qui se dégradent spontanément.

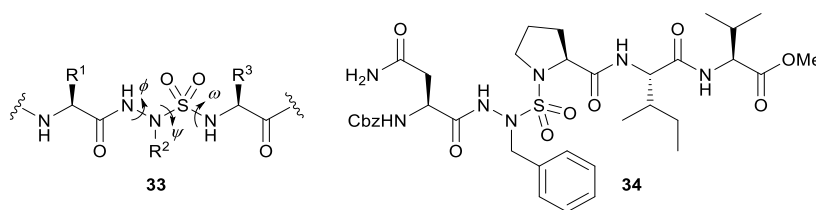
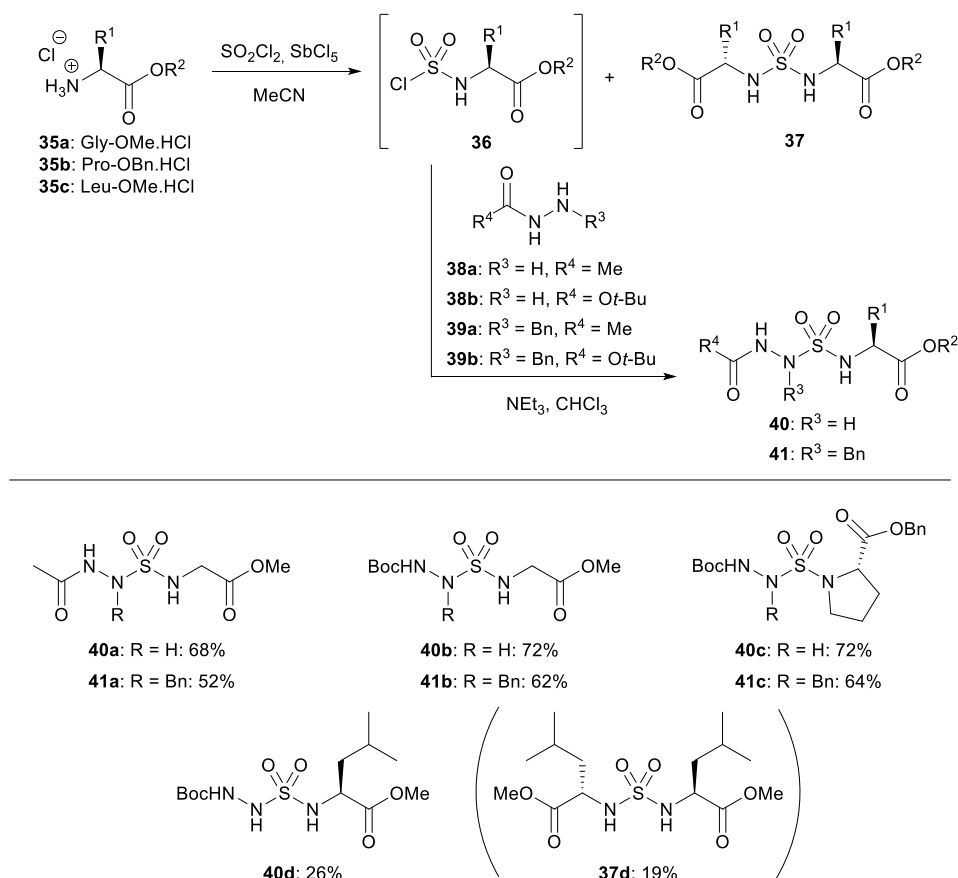


Figure 1.5. Structure générale des azasulfurylpeptides (**33**) et d'un inhibiteur de HIV-1 (**34**).

1.4.1. Méthode initiale de synthèse des azasulfurylpeptides

La méthode initiale de synthèse des azasulfurylpeptides utilise du chlorure du sulfuryle (SO₂Cl₂) avec une quantité catalytique de chlorure d'antimoine (V) (SbCl₅) pour combiner une amine (**35**) avec un dérivé d'hydrazide (**38** ou **39**). Toutefois, cette approche peut mener à la formation d'un sulfamide symétrique (**37d**). De plus, afin d'insérer des chaînes latérales sur les azasulfurylpeptides, des dérivés d'hydrazides *N*-benzylés (**39**) ont été utilisés comme exemple, requérant la synthèse préalable de ces précurseurs.⁷⁰ Depuis, aucune autre approche n'a été développée démontrant une possible difficulté dans la synthèse de ces composés.

Schéma 1.2. Méthode initiale de synthèse des azasulfurylpeptides.



1.4.2. Propriétés conformationnelles attendues

En théorie, les azasulfurylpeptides combinent les propriétés relatives aux azapeptides³⁸ et aux sulfonamides.⁷² Ceci inclus :

1. Une répulsion électronique entre les paires d'électrons des deux atomes d'azotes adjacents, favorisant des angles de torsion ϕ de $\pm 90^\circ$;³⁸
2. Des angles de torsion ψ et ω de $\pm 60^\circ$ ou $\pm 100^\circ$ correspondant respectivement aux conformations décalées et éclipsées des sulfonamides (Figure 1.6). Le conformère éclipsé est plus stable d'environ 5 à 10 kJ/mol, attribuable à la minimisation de la répulsion électronique entre les doublets électroniques des oxygènes et de l'azote qui sont dans le même plan pour le conformère décalé;⁷²

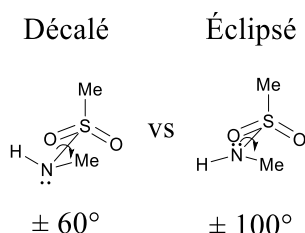


Figure 1.6. Représentation du conformère décalé et éclipsé des sulfonamides.

3. Une meilleure flexibilité en raison de la barrière de rotation plus faible autour du lien S–N ($\Delta G^\ddagger \approx 30$ kJ/mol pour le conformère décalé et 40 kJ/mol pour le conformère éclipsé), relativement au lien C–N des amides ($\Delta G^\ddagger \approx$ entre 65 et 90 kJ/mol);⁷²
4. Une hyperconjugaison, appelée interaction anomérique π , entre l'orbitale non-liante de l'azote et l'orbitale σ^* de la liaison S–C du sulfonamide ($n_N \rightarrow \sigma^*_{S-C}$). Ceci se caractérise par des longueurs de liaisons S–N dans les sulfonamides plus courtes (autour de 1.65 Å) que les longueurs de liaisons S–N simples (autour de 1.75 Å);⁷³
5. Une géométrie tétraédrique du sulfamide caractérisée par des longueurs de liaison S–N et S=O plus longues qu'un lien amide;⁷²
6. Une plus grande acidité de Brønsted du proton du sulfamide et une meilleure basicité de Lewis des oxygènes du groupement sulfonyle, en raison de l'effet inductif du lien sulfonyl,⁷⁴ favorisant la formation de liaisons hydrogène.⁷⁵⁻⁷⁷ En effet, la double liaison S=O implique une liaison σ et une délocalisation π (ou rétrodonation $p\pi-d\pi$) entre une paire d'électrons de l'oxygène et l'orbitale d du soufre (Figure 1.7). Cette rétrodonation est cependant faible dans le cas du lien S–N.⁷⁴

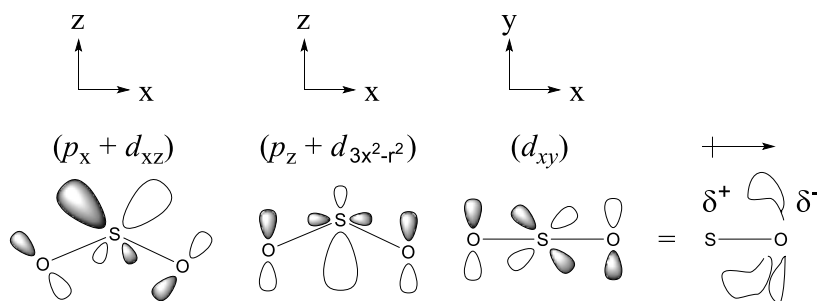
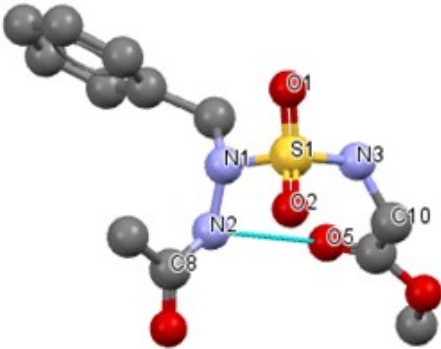
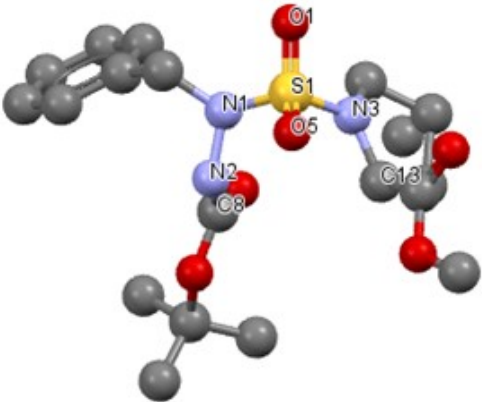


Figure 1.7. Représentation de la délocalisation π de la liaison S=O.

Si les azasulfurylpeptides respectent les contraintes conformationnelles énumérés ci-dessus, la combinaison des angles ϕ et ψ seront relativement proches des angles de torsion idéales de tours γ classiques ($\phi^{i+1} = 75^\circ$, $\psi^{i+1} = -65^\circ$) ou inversés ($\phi^{i+1} = -75^\circ$, $\psi^{i+1} = 65^\circ$), ou de tours β de type II ($\phi^{i+1} = -60^\circ$, $\psi^{i+1} = 120^\circ$) ou II' ($\phi^{i+1} = 60^\circ$, $\psi^{i+1} = -120^\circ$), et ces mimes peptidiques pourraient être un atout important dans la formation de ces tours.

1.4.3. Analyses cristallographiques de deux azasulfuryldipeptides

Tableau 1.1. Longueurs de liaison et angles de torsion sélectionnés pour *N*-(Ac)-AsF-Gly-OMe (42) et *N*-(Boc)-AsF-Pro-OMe (43).⁷⁰

<i>N</i> -(Ac)-AsF-Gly-OMe (42)		<i>N</i> -(Boc)-AsF-Pro-OMe (43)	
			
Atomes	Longueur (Å)	Atomes	Longueur (Å)
N(2)–N(1)	1.396	N(2)–N(1)	1.396
N(1)–S(1)	1.677	N(1)–S(1)	1.664
S(1)–N(3)	1.599	S(1)–N(3)	1.600
S(1)=O(1)/S(1)=O(2)	1.421/1.420	S(1)=O(1) / S(1)=O(5)	1.422/1.419
Angles de torsion	Angle (°)	Angle de torsion	Angle (°)
ϕ [C(8)–N(2)–N(1)–S(1)]	94.3	ϕ [C(8)–N(2)–N(1)–S(1)]	–112.7
ψ [N(2)–N(1)–S(1)–N(3)]	76.1	ψ [N(2)–N(1)–S(1)–N(3)]	73.5
ω [N(1)–S(1)–N(3)–C(10)]	–89.2	ω [N(1)–S(1)–N(3)–C(13)]	–90.7

Des études cristallographiques ont été réalisées sur deux azasulfuryldipeptides contenant chacun un AsF, l'analogue de la phénylalanine.⁷⁰ En examinant le tableau 1.1 ci-dessus, on remarque que les restrictions conformationnelles des azapeptides de l'angle ϕ (i.e. de $\pm 90^\circ$) et des sulfonamides de l'angle ψ et ω (i.e. de $\pm 60^\circ$ ou $\pm 100^\circ$) ont été conservées. Les angles de torsion ψ et ω dans ces exemples correspondent donc respectivement aux conformères décalés et éclipsés des sulfonamides. La structure géométrique autour de l'atome du soufre a confirmé l'hypothèse que ces types de structures peuvent être des mimes des états de transition dans l'hydrolyse des amides. Toutefois, cette structure est légèrement asymétrique car les longueurs de liaison S–N ne sont pas égales (ie. 1.60 Å et 1.67 Å). De plus, une liaison hydrogène intramoléculaire à huit membres a été observée pour **42** entre le proton du lien amide et le carbonyle de l'ester méthylrique, démontrant la capacité des azasulfurylpeptides à s'engager dans de telles liaisons. Ces résultats suscitent donc un grand intérêt à poursuivre la recherche sur les effets des azasulfurylpeptides comparativement à leur peptide parent.

1.5. Description de la thèse

Le but premier de cette thèse a été de développer une nouvelle voie de synthèse en solution des azasulfurylpeptides (Chapitre 2). Cette méthode met en évidence l'utilisation de radiations aux micro-ondes dans le couplage de différents hydrazides avec des sulfamidates de 4-nitrophénol dérivés d'acides aminés. De plus, des alkylations chimiosélectives ont été réalisées sur les azasulfurylglycines (AsG), afin d'y insérer diverses chaînes latérales.

Désirant en apprendre d'avantage sur les préférences conformationnelles des azasulfurylpeptides, deux modèles de tripeptides contenant un AsG ont été analysés par des études cristallographiques (Chapitre 3). Les résultats ont démontré un grand potentiel dans la stabilisation de tours γ par contraintes électroniques, c'est-à-dire grâce aux restrictions conformationnelles respectives des angles de torsion.

Par la suite, une approche combinatoire sur support solide a été effectuée sur la résine de Rink, mettant en évidence l'utilisation d'azasulfurylglycines protégés par un groupement Fmoc, suivi d'alkylations chimiosélectives sur la résine (Chapitre 4). Le peptide étudié est le *growth hormone releasing peptide 6* (GHRP-6, His-D-Trp-Ala-Trp-D-Phe-Lys-NH₂). Ce peptide synthétique est un hexapeptide possédant une affinité pour deux récepteurs, soit le

growth hormone secretagogue receptor 1a (GHS-R1a) et le récepteur *cluster of differentiation 36* (CD36). Un composé présentant une affinité sélective pour le récepteur CD36 pourrait s'avérer efficace pour le développement d'un traitement contre la dégénérescence maculaire liée à l'âge (DMLA).

Suite à la synthèse de six analogues contenant un *N*-aminosulfamide dérivé de l'AsF à la position 4 de GHRP-6, en perspectives à ce projet de doctorat, des études biologiques sur le *Toll-like receptor 2* (TLR2) ont été effectués en collaboration avec le professeur Huy Ong au département de Pharmacologie à la Faculté de Pharmacie de l'Université de Montréal. Le complexe TLR2-TLR6 est reconnu pour être co-exprimé et modulé par CD36. En se liant au CD36, ces études ont démontrées le potentiel des azasulfurylpeptides à pouvoir réguler le rôle du TLR2 qui déclenche des réponses inflammatoires et immunitaires innées (Perspectives).

Finalement, en collaboration avec le Professeur James Spencer, différents azasulfurylpeptides ont été évalués pour leur capaciter à inhibiter des métallo- β -lactamases. Certains analogues ont été des inhibiteurs micromolaires du IMP-1.

Ces nouvelles méthodologies de synthèse des azasulfurylpeptides en solution et sur support solide devraient donc permettre des études de relations structure-activité avec différents peptides biologiquement actifs. En tant que mimes structurelles, les *N*-aminosulfamides ont démontré un potentiel à mimer les structures secondaires peptidiques, tels que les tours γ . De plus, l'application des azasulfurylpeptides a été démontrée par la synthèse de ligands du CD36 présentant des effets modulateurs sur le TLR2. En tant que mimes des états de transition dans l'hydrolyse des liens amides, les azasulfurylpeptides ont servi d'inhibiteurs de métallo- β -lactamases.

Chapitre 2 : Synthèse en solution des azasulfurylpeptides

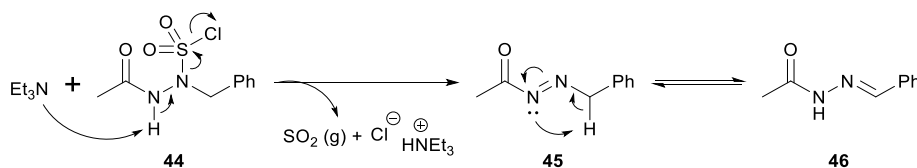
2.1. Mise en contexte de l'article 1

Bien que la seule méthode existante pour la synthèse des *N*-aminosulfamides au début de ce projet implique l'utilisation de SO_2Cl_2 et d'une quantité catalytique de SbCl_5 , certains couplages entre les carbazates et les amines demeurent problématiques (Introduction). Les premières investigations de recherches effectuées ont eu pour but de développer une nouvelle méthodologie de synthèse des azasulfurylpeptides, sans catalyseur potentiellement nocif.

2.2. Hypothèse de base : activation des hydrazones

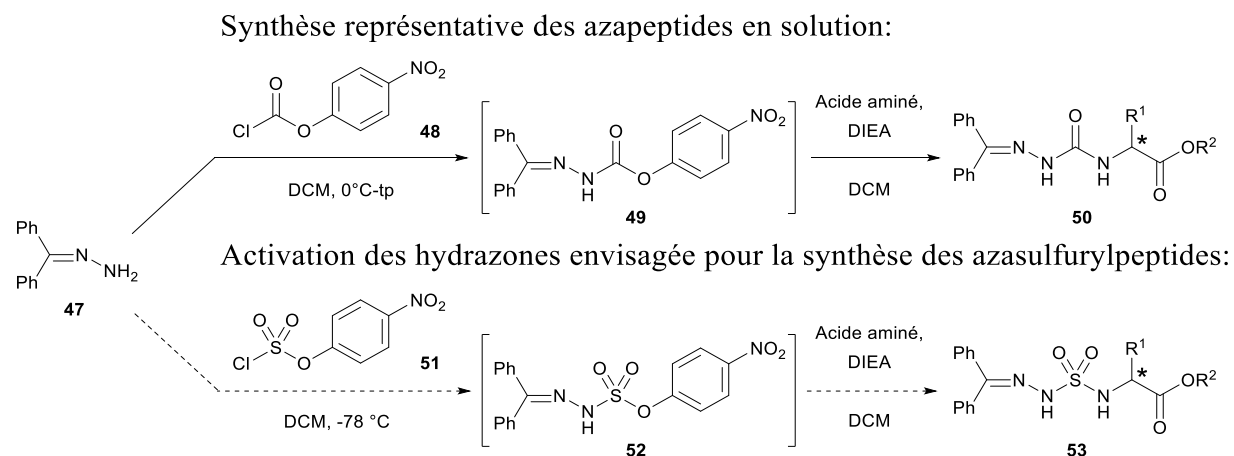
L'activation des carbazates (**44**) avec le SO_2Cl_2 a été publiée comme infaisable, en raison de la formation des hydrazones (**46**) par élimination β , suivi d'une tautomérisation (Schéma 2.1).⁷⁰

Schéma 2.1. Formation des hydrazones par élimination β et tautomérisation, suite à l'activation des carbazates avec le chlorure de sulfuryle.



Par conséquent, l'activation des hydrazones a tout d'abord été proposée, en raison de l'absence du proton responsable de l'élimination β observée avec les carbazates (Schéma 2.2). L'activation des hydrazones a grandement été développée dans le groupe de recherche du professeur Lubell pour la synthèse combinatoire des azapeptides,⁷⁸⁻⁸³ et a fait sujet d'un article de révision présentant les synthèses et les potentiels thérapeutiques des azapeptides.³⁸ Par exemple, suite à l'activation du benzophénone hydrazone (**47**) avec le chloroformate de 4-nitrophénol (**48**), le carbazate **49** obtenu peut être couplé avec un acide aminé afin d'obtenir le benzophénone semicarbazone **50** (Schéma 2.2).⁷⁸ Par analogie à cette voie de synthèse, l'utilisation du chlorosulfate de 4-nitrophénol (**51**) ou du SO_2Cl_2 pour activer l'hydrazone **47** a tout d'abord été envisagée pour la synthèse des azasulfurylpeptides.

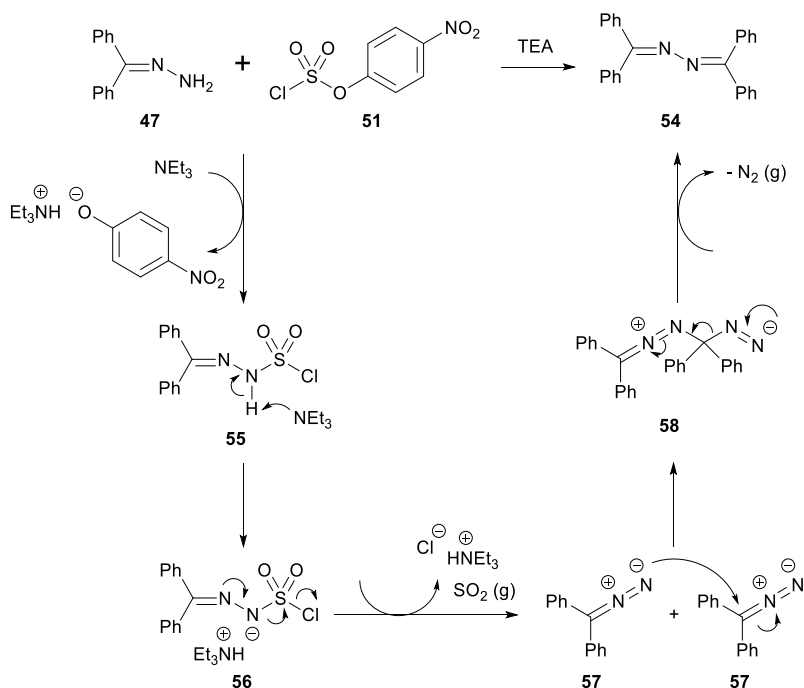
Schéma 2.2. L'activation des hydrazones comme hypothèse de base, par analogie à la synthèse des azapeptides en solution.



Cependant, les expériences effectuées pour activer l'hydrazone **47** avec le SO_2Cl_2 ou le chlorosulfate **51** ont conduit à la formation de l'azine **54** (Schéma 2.3). Le mécanisme proposé pour la formation de ce dernier est similaire à une oxydation des hydrazones avec l'acide *o*-iodobenzoïque (IBX).⁸⁴ De plus, la décomposition des sels d'hydrazones sulfonylés a déjà été observée auparavant.^{85, 86} Ainsi, suite à l'activation de l'hydrazone **47** avec le chlorosulfate **51**, le 4-nitrophénolate est libéré pour obtenir le chlorure de sulfonyle **55**. Cet intermédiaire instable se décompose rapidement pour former le composé diazo **57** en présence d'une base. Ce dernier dimérise et suite à la libération d'azote gazeux (N_2), l'azine **54** est obtenu.

La libération du phénolate au lieu de l'anion chlorure est expliquée par une étude cinétique sur le chlorosulfate **51**. En effet, il a été démontré que la scission du lien S–OAr est plus rapide que celle du lien S–Cl, par réaction avec le méthoxyde de sodium (NaOMe) en milieu méthanolique.⁸⁷ Ceci illustre bien que le phénolate est un meilleur groupe partant que le chlorure, en raison de la stabilisation par résonance du phénolate.

Schéma 2.3. Mécanisme proposé pour la formation de l'azine **54**, suite à l'activation de l'hydrazone **47** avec le chlorosulfate **51**.



2.3. Activation des acides aminés

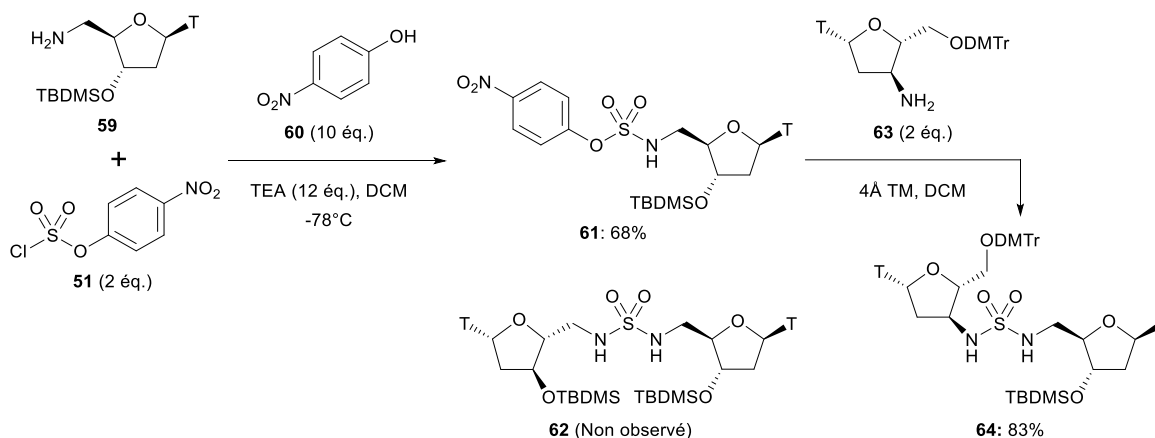
L'obtention des azines par activation des hydrazones permet d'écarter l'hypothèse de base et l'approche envisagée par analogie avec les azapeptides. Ainsi, la deuxième approche suggérée a été l'activation des acides aminés, en utilisant également le chlorosulfate de 4-nitrophénol.

Le chlorosulfate **51** a été choisi car il est un solide cristallin stable qui peut être conservé pour une longue période de temps. Comparativement au SO_2Cl_2 , qui est un liquide incolore après distillation fractionnée, ce dernier jaunit rapidement par décomposition en SO_2 et HCl , qui graduellement forme de l'acide sulfurique (H_2SO_4) avec l'humidité de l'air.⁸⁸ De plus, considérant la ressemblance des *N*-aminosulfamides avec les sulfamides, le chlorosulfate **51** a permis la synthèse de mimes d'ADN contenant un groupement sulfamide, en remplacement au groupement phosphate.^{89, 90}

Dans cette approche, l'amine **59** de départ est convertie en sulfamidate **61** correspondant par traitement avec le chlorosulfate **51** (2 éq.). Il est important de mentionner que l'ajout en

large excès, de 4-nitrophénol (**60**, 10 éq.) et de triéthylamine (12 éq.), a permis d'empêcher la formation du sulfamide symétrique **62**, en interceptant le chlorure de sulfonyl préalablement formé. Finalement, le sulfamate **61** est couplé avec une deuxième amine (**63**) pour former le sulfamide **64**, en présence de tamis moléculaire.⁹⁰

Schéma 2.4. Utilisation du chlorosulfate de 4-nitrophénol dans la synthèse de mimes d'ADN contenant un groupement sulfamide en remplacement au groupement phosphate.



Les sulfamides de 4-nitrophénol présentés dans l'article 1 ont été synthétisés par une approche similaire, en activant cette fois-ci un acide aminé.⁹¹ Afin de faciliter la purification de ces sulfamides, les quantités de 4-nitrophénol (2 éq.) et de triéthylamine (6 éq.) ont été drastiquement réduites. Aucune formation de sulfamide symétrique n'a également été détectée dans ces conditions expérimentales. Ceci constitue donc une avancée extrêmement intéressante en comparaison à l'utilisation du SO_2Cl_2 .

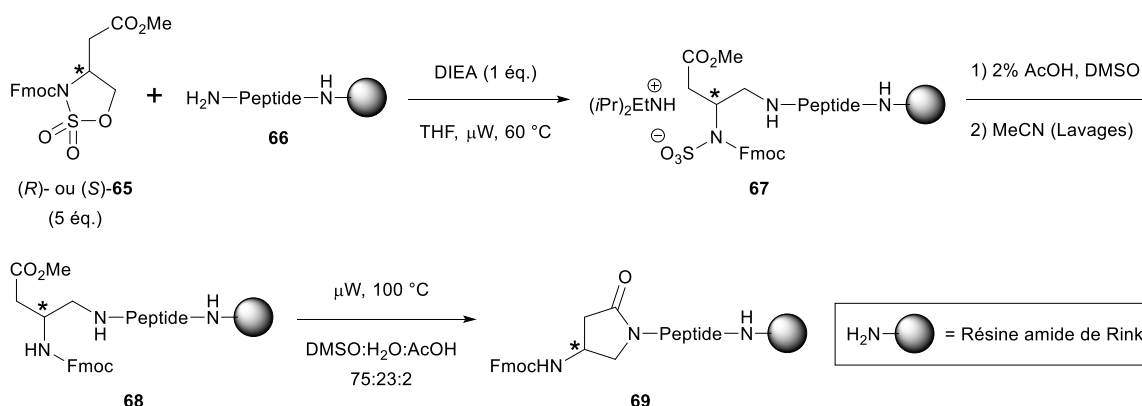
2.4. Utilisation des sulfamides

Suite à la formation des sulfamides, les premiers essais de couplage ont été réalisés avec l'hydrazone **47**. Celle-ci possédant un proton plus acide en raison de la stabilisation par résonance de l'anion, les hydrazones sont reconnus pour favoriser les alkylations régiosélectives sur la fonction urée, présente dans les azapeptides.³⁸

L'utilisation d'irradiation aux micro-ondes a été utilisée dès les premières tentatives de synthèse, pour le développement des conditions expérimentales de couplage avec l'hydrazone **47**. En effet, de telles conditions expérimentales ont été utilisées sur support solide, dans la

synthèse des β -amino γ -lactames, auquel un peptide est couplé au sulfamidate cyclique **46**, dérivé de l'acide aspartique (Schéma 2.5).⁹²

Schéma 2.5. Utilisation d'irradiation aux micro-ondes dans la synthèse des β -amino γ -lactames.

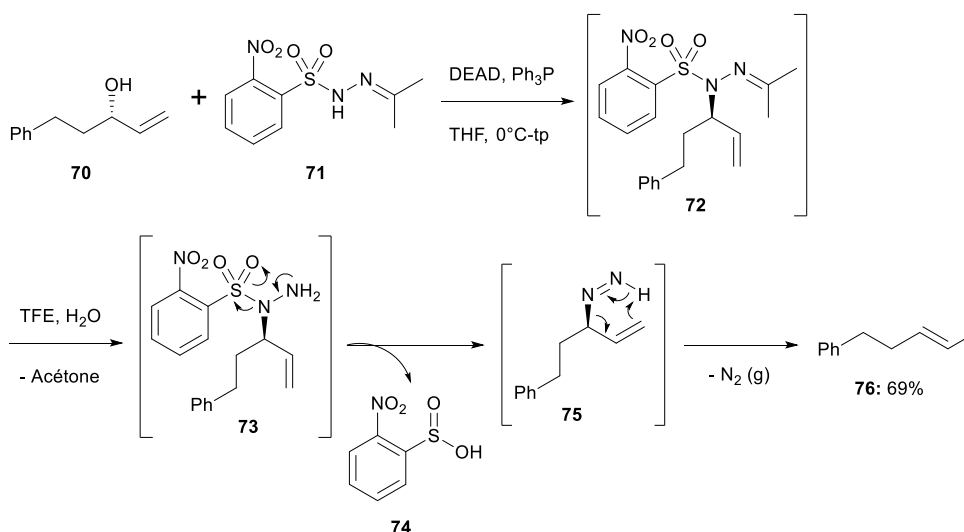


Ainsi, l'utilisation d'irradiation aux micro-ondes, à 60 °C pour 2.5 h, a grandement favorisé le couplage de l'hydrazone **47** avec l'ester *tert*-butylique de la L-phénylalanine avec l'obtention d'un rendement de 80% (Article 1).⁹¹ Comme réaction de contrôle, ce même couplage a été réalisé en chauffant à 60 °C par chauffage conventionnel (bain d'huile) et est demeuré incomplet après 24 h de réaction.

Toutefois, les tentatives effectuées pour cliver l'hydrazone, c'est-à-dire par hydrolyse acide (1N HCl) ou par l'emploi de l'hydrochlorure d'hydroxylamine dans la pyridine,³⁸ ont rapidement mené à la décomposition des dipeptides. Cette forme de décomposition a également été observée dans l'emploi de l'hydrazide du *N*-isopropylidène-*N*'-2-nitrobenzènesulfonyl (**71**, IPNBSH), servant à réduire des alcools allyliques, suite à un réarrangement sigmatropique du diazène **75**, libérant de l'azote gazeux et l'alcène **76** (Schéma 2.6).⁹³

En raison de cette décomposition, des hydrazides dérivés d'acides aminés ont été utilisés afin d'éviter l'étape de clivage problématique (Article 1). Par cette méthode, il est donc possible de synthétiser des tripeptides dont un azasulfurylglycine (AsG) est présent à la position 2.

Schéma 2.6. Exemple de la réduction des alcools en employant l'hydrazide **71**.



2.5. Mise en contexte de l'article 2

Dans le but de diversifier les tripeptides formés, de manière combinatoire, des alkylations chimiosélectives sur les tripeptides contenant l'AsG ont tout d'abord été réalisées. Pour ce faire le *tert*-butylimino-tri(pyrrolidino)phosphorane (BTPP), une base forte non nucléophile de type phosphazène (pK_a de l'acide conjugué = 28.35 dans l'acétonitrile), a été utilisé (Article 1).⁹¹ Le BTPP a déjà été utilisé dans le passé pour des alkylations sur support solide des azapeptides.^{81, 94} Cependant, cette base provenant de Sigma-Aldrich est relativement dispendieuse (548,00 \$ pour 25 mL). D'autres essais ont été réalisés menant à de faibles rendements (aux alentours de 30%) avec des réactions de type Mitsunobu ou par l'emploi du *tert*-butoxyde de potassium (KO^tBu), également employé dans les alkylations régiosélectives des azapeptides.³⁸

Dans des travaux réalisés sur différents hydrazones, l'emploi de l'hydroxyde de tétraéthylammonium (NEt_4OH , Sigma-Aldrich, solution de 40% dans l'eau, 73,00\$ pour 100 mL), une base plus douce (pK_a de l'acide conjugué = 15.75 dans l'eau), a été utilisée avec succès pour des alkylations sur des fluorénylidènes⁸² et dipeptides.⁹⁵ De plus, dans une analyse de prédiction des pK_a des dérivés d'hydrazines (Figure 2.1), le pK_a prédit pour le sulfonamide **77** est de 7.93.⁹⁶ Similairement, les *N*-aminosulfamides devraient posséder un pK_a semblable. Par conséquent, l'emploi du NEt_4OH devrait s'avérer suffisamment basique pour pouvoir

déprotonner l'AsG et a donc été validé dans une petite analyse complémentaire présentée dans l'article 2.⁹⁷ Une limitation de cette base est la nécessité d'utiliser des esters non hydrolysables par l'anion hydroxyde.

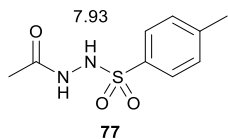


Figure 2.1. Prédiction des pKa du dérivé sulfonamide de l'hydrazine acylé **77**.

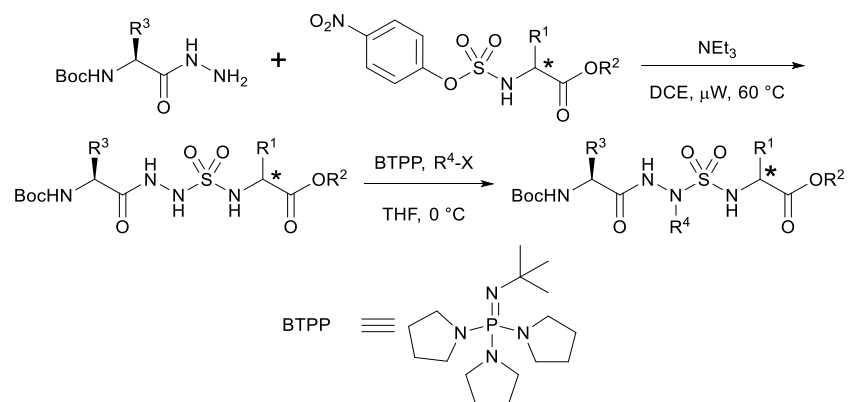
2.6. Conclusion

Le développement d'une nouvelle voie de synthèse des azasulfurylpeptides en solution, a été étudié, développé et décrit avec succès. L'utilisation des sulfamidates de 4-nitrophénol, le couplage des hydrazides avec l'aide d'irradiation aux micro-ondes, et les alkylations chimiosélectives effectués sur les tripeptides contenant un AsG sont les trois étapes clés qui se démarquent de la première voie de synthèse des *N*-aminosulfamides. De plus, aucune formation de sulfamides symétriques n'a été détectée lors de l'activation des acides aminés aux sulfamidates de 4-nitrophénol et aucun catalyseur n'a été employé dans cette approche. En utilisant cette nouvelle voie de synthèse, des modèles de tripeptides pourront être synthétisés, afin d'en étudier leurs propriétés conformationnelles (Chapitre 3). Enfin, cette approche a servi d'introduction dans le développement d'une synthèse sur support solide d'analogues de GHRP-6 (Chapitre 4).

La grande difficulté de purification des sulfamidates en raison de l'excès de 4-nitrophénol est une limitation à cette méthodologie. En effet, dans le cas du sulfamidate de 4-nitrophénol de l'alanine, ce composé se décompose légèrement en effectuant les extractions basiques avec le bicarbonate de sodium pour retirer le 4-nitrophénol (Article 1, Partie expérimentale). Dans les cas où les sulfamidates seraient instables, il est préférable de ne pas effectuer ces extractions et de poursuivre la prochaine réaction désirée en présence de cet excès de 4-nitrophénol dans le milieu réactionnel.

Article 1

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N-Aminosulfamide Peptide Mimic Synthesis by Alkylation of Azasulfurylglycinyl Peptides

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Abstract

N-Aminosulfamides are peptidomimetics in which the C α H and the carbonyl of an amino acid residue are both respectively replaced by a nitrogen atom and a sulfonyl group. Azasulfurylglycinyl tripeptide analogs were effectively synthesized from amino acid building blocks by condensations of *N*-protected amino hydrazides and *p*-nitrophenylsulfamidate esters. The installation of *N*-alkyl chains and access to other azasulfuryl amino acid residues were effectively achieved by chemoselective alkylation.

Introduction

The biological activity and physical properties of peptide structures are inherently contingent on backbone geometry and side chain functionality, such that attempts to modulate natural function are challenged to consider innate form. For example, replacement of a peptide amide by a phosphonamide⁹⁸ or a silanediol⁹⁹ may effectively mimic the tetrahedral transition states common in enzyme-catalyzed reactions and produce enzyme inhibitors. Although the respective amide to sulfonamide exchange may appear promising, the resulting α -sulfonamido peptides have been reported to be unstable.³⁷

N-Aminosulfamido peptides **33** in which both the C α H and the carbonyl of an amino acid residue are respectively replaced by a nitrogen atom and a sulfonyl group have proven to be more stable (Figure 2.2). Moreover, azasulfurylphenylalaninyl (Asf) peptide **34** was reported to

inhibit the human immunodeficiency virus-1 (HIV-1) proteinase, presumably by imitating the transition-state for amide bond hydrolysis.⁷¹

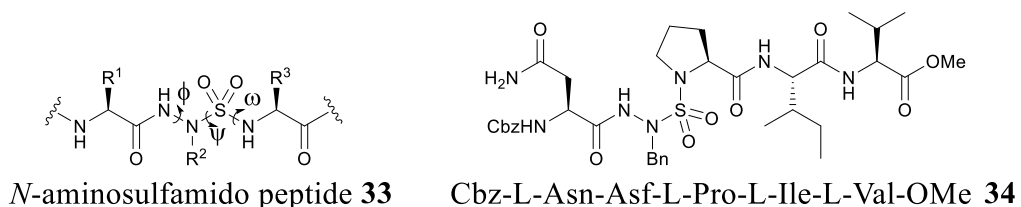


Figure 2.2. *N*-Aminosulfamido peptide **33** and proteinase inhibitor **34**.

Azasulfuryl peptide analogs combine the characteristics of aza- and α -sulfonamido peptides, thus offering interesting potential for modifying backbone geometry. The sulfonyl group possesses a tetrahedral sulfur, which adopts ω torsion angle values around $\pm 60^\circ$ and $\pm 100^\circ$ (instead of amide cis-(*E*) and trans-(*Z*) conformations at respectively 0° and $\pm 180^\circ$) separated by a lower S–N rotational barrier ($\Delta G^\ddagger \approx 35$ kJ/mol), relative to the amide C–N ($\Delta G^\ddagger \approx 75$ kJ/mol).⁷² Furthermore, the S–N bond length is longer than the C–N, due to lack of an amide bond resonance and greater sp^3 versus sp^2 character of the sulfonamide nitrogen (Figure 2.3).

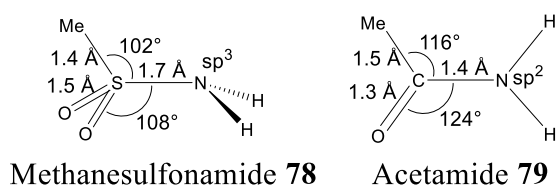
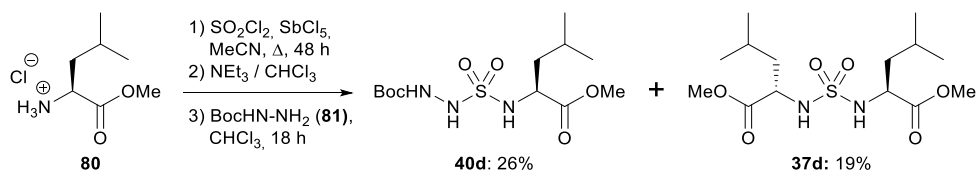


Figure 2.3. Sulfonamide⁷³ and amide¹⁰⁰ bond lengths and angles.

In light of their interesting conformational and biological properties, the synthesis of *N*-aminosulfamides has apparently restricted their application in peptidemimicry.⁷¹ To the best of our knowledge, only one method has been reported for constructing acyclic *N*-aminosulfamides and employs sulfuryl chloride (SO_2Cl_2) to combine hydrazide and amine components (Scheme 2.7).⁷⁰ Coupling was relatively sluggish, in spite of the addition of catalytic amounts of toxic antimony pentachloride (SbCl_5), such that, in the synthesis of *N*-aminosulfamide **40d**, reaction of 2 equiv of the amine component with sulfuryl chloride competed to produce symmetric sulfamide **37d** as a major side product. In addition, introduction

of side chains onto the *N*-aminosulfamide residue required synthesis of *N*-alkyl protected hydrazide precursors.⁷⁰

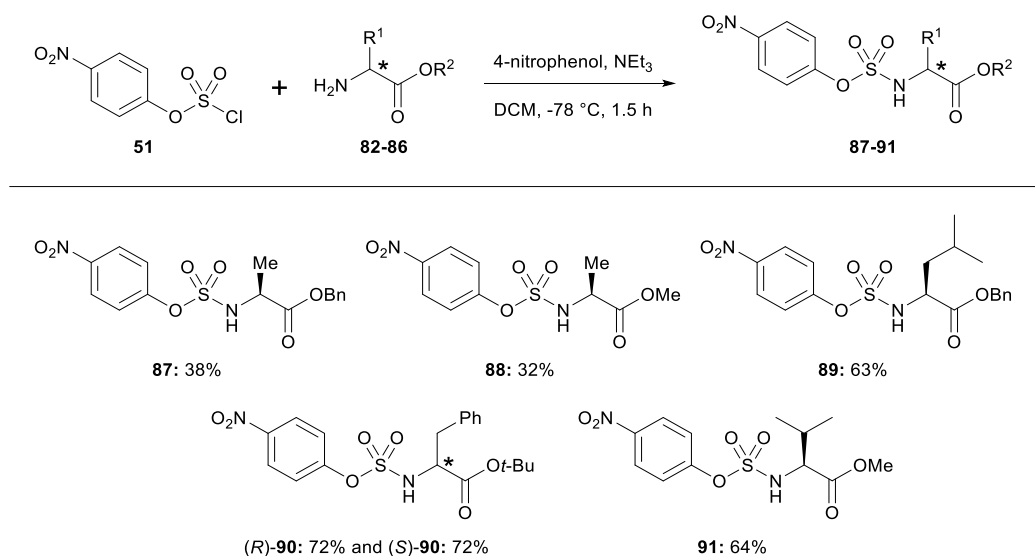
Scheme 2.7. Reported synthesis of *N*-aminosulfamides.



Results and Discussion

Inspired by our past applications of sulfamidates as synthetic intermediates,^{42, 92, 101, 102} as well as the application of azaglycine alkylation in the submonomer synthesis of azapeptides,⁷⁹⁻⁸¹ we have pursued an approach to *N*-aminosulfamide peptides featuring convergent synthesis of an azasulfurylglycine intermediate and subsequent chemoselective alkylation. 4-Nitrophenyl chlorosulfate **51** has been used effectively in the synthesis of sulfamides⁹⁰ and was thus studied for the selective synthesis of *N*-aminosulfamides.

Scheme 2.8 Synthesis of the *p*-nitrophenylsulfamidate esters **87-91**.



Initial attempts to prepare sulfamidates from hydrazones and chlorosulfate **51** gave however azines. On the contrary, the corresponding sulfamidates were prepared successfully from various amino esters; i.e., L-Ala-OBn (**82**), L-Ala-OMe (**83**), L-Leu-OBn (**84**), D- and

L-Phe-*O**t*-Bu [(*R*)- and (*S*)-**85**], and L-Val-OMe (**86**) (Scheme 2.8). Two equivalents of 4-nitrophenol were necessary as additive to avoid formation of symmetric sulfamide. Additionally, two equivalents of chlorosulfate **51** were also crucial for sulfamidate formation. Lower yields of **87** and **88** were incurred during purification on silica gel and using aq. NaHCO₃ washings to remove nitrophenol (Experimental Section). Relative to sulfuryl chloride, which needs to be distilled prior to use, chlorosulfate **51** was a convenient solid. Similarly, except for sulfamidate **90**, the *p*-nitrophenylsulfamidates were solids, which could be stored for several months without decomposition.

To further examine conformational properties, sulfamidate **91** was crystallized from EtOAc on diffusion of hexane vapors (Figure 2.4 and Experimental Section). The crystal structure shows that the sulfamidate (–N–S(O₂)–O–) adopts a distorted tetrahedral structure and that the N–S bond length (1.593 Å) is longer than an amide bond (Figure 2.3). Furthermore, the ω torsion angle (62.2°) was close to the ideal theoretical value (60°) for sulfonamides.⁷²

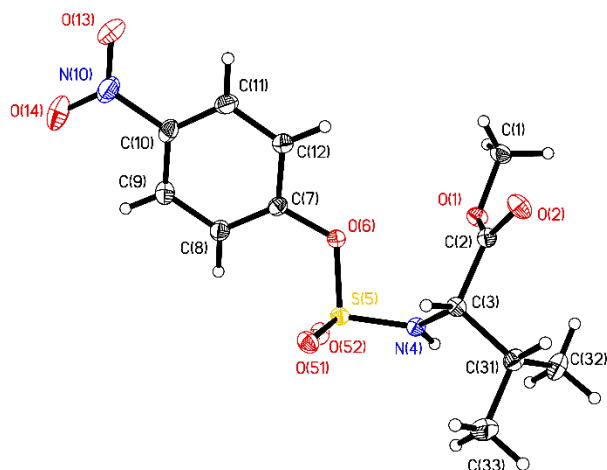
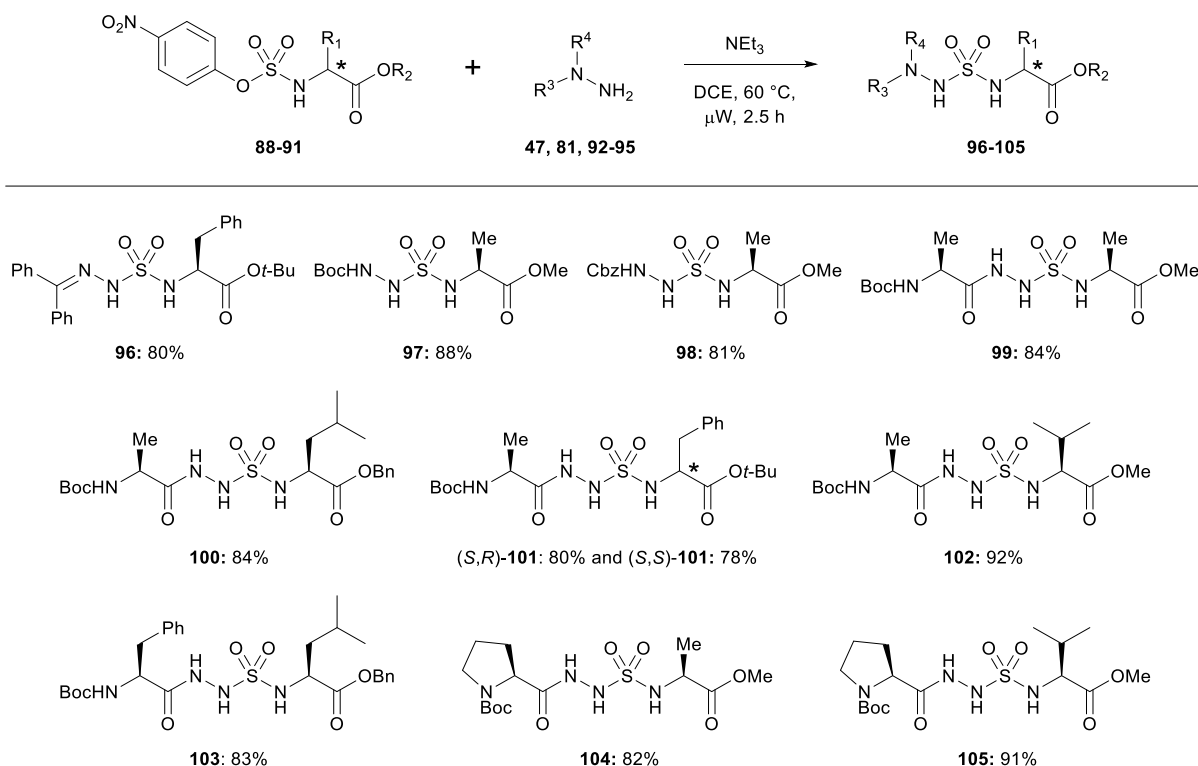


Figure 2.4. Crystal structure of sulfamidate **91**, showing the atomic numbering system employed.

N-Aminosulfamides **96-105** were synthesized by reaction of sulfamidates **88-91** respectively with benzophenone hydrazone (**47**), *tert*-butyl and benzyl carbazates (**81** and **92**), as well as *N*-(Boc)-L-Ala, L-Phe and L-Pro hydrazides (**93-95**) (Scheme 2.9). Microwave irradiation proved important in the formation of the *N*-aminosulfamides and favoured coupling between the two precursors. In contrast to the 80% yield using microwave heating, synthesis of

N-aminosulfamide **96** in DCM using conventional heating at reflux for 24 h gave only 36% yield and recovered starting material.

Scheme 2.9. Synthesis of the *N*-aminosulfamides **96-105**.

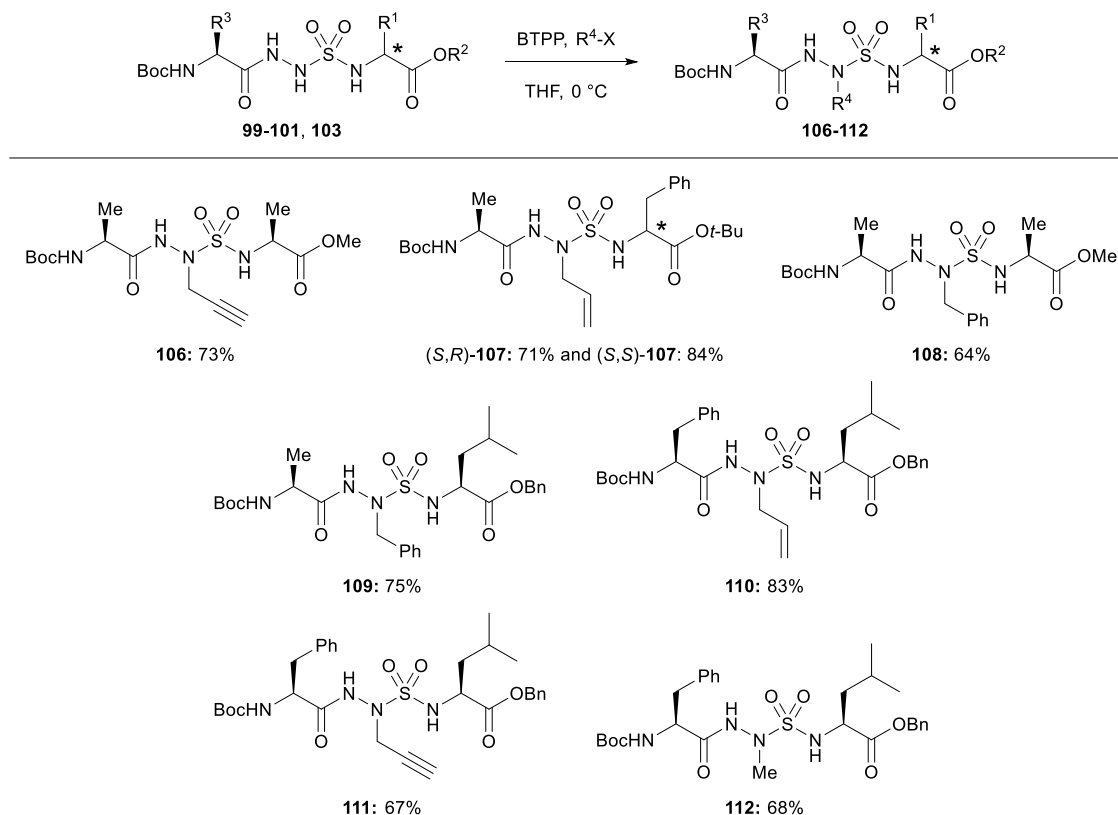


Although side chains may in principle be introduced onto the *N*-aminosulfamide moiety by employing *N'*-alkylhydrazides, inspired by our submonomer approach to azapeptides,⁷⁹⁻⁸¹ chemoselective alkylation was pursued to provide a combinatorial approach to azasulfuryl amino acid residues. Initially, attempts to employ hydrazone and carbazate derivatives **96-98** in chemoselective alkylation/deprotection sequences failed, likely due to sulfonyl hydrazide decomposition.⁹³

Chemoselective alkylation of azasulfuryl glycyl (Asg) peptides **99-101** and **103** proved effective for preparing orthogonally protected building blocks **106-112** for incorporation into longer peptides (Scheme 2.10). Initially, *N*-Boc-Ala-Asg-Ala-OMe (**99**) was treated with potassium *tert*-butoxide and propargylbromide to provide azasulfuryl tripeptide **106**, albeit in 20% yield with recovered starting material. By switching to the phosphazene base, *tert*-butylimino-tri(pyrrolidino)-phosphorane (BTPP), alkylation yield was improved to 73%.

Subsequent reactions were performed with BTTP. *Bis*-alkylation was minimized by employing stoichiometric amounts of base and alkylating reagent.

Scheme 2.10. Chemoselective alkylation of azasulfurylglyciny peptides.



The position of alkylation was ascertained by NMR experiments on tripeptide **106** (Experimental Section). In the 2D COSY spectrum, through-bond correlations were observed between the alanine N-H and C_{α} -H protons. In the 2D HMBC spectrum, through-bond correlation was observed between the hydrazide NH and carbonyl carbon. The position of alkylation was assigned for analogs **107-112** based on analogy to **106**, because of the relatively similar chemical shifts for the N-H signals in the ^1H NMR spectra.

In order to ascertain if epimerization had occurred during the alkylation of azasulfuryllallylglycine, (S,R)- and (S,S) diastereoisomers of azasulfuryllallylglyciny tripeptide **107** were synthesized and analyzed by ^1H NMR spectroscopy. The diastereoisomeric ratio observed for the alkylated product **107** was consistent with the starting azasulfurylglyciny tripeptide diastereomers **101**, indicating no epimerization.¹⁰³ Furthermore, treatment of

azasulfurylallylglycinyl tripeptide (S,R)-**107** with one equivalent of BTPP at room temperature for 3h failed to cause epimerization.

Conclusion

In conclusion, a new method for the synthesis of *N*-aminosulfamides has been developed featuring the coupling of *p*-nitrophenylsulfamides and *N*-(Boc)-amino acid hydrazides under microwave irradiation. Chemoselective alkylation of the azasulfurylallylglycinyl peptides was used to add side-chain diversity and prepare other azasulfuryl amino acid residues. This method avoids symmetric sulfamide formation as well as the use of *N'*-alkyl hydrazides in the synthesis of the *N*-aminosulfamide peptides. The crystallization of sulfamide **91** confirmed the tetrahedral nature of the sulfur and the 60° ω -torsion angle. We are currently working on crystallizing the *N*-aminosulfamides, in order to validate potential for mimicry of the transition state of amide bond hydrolysis. In addition, insertion of the *N*-aminosulfamide tripeptide building blocks into biologically active peptides is being pursued to study structure-activity relationships.

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Article 2

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Mild chemoselective alkylation of azasulfurylglycinyl peptides.

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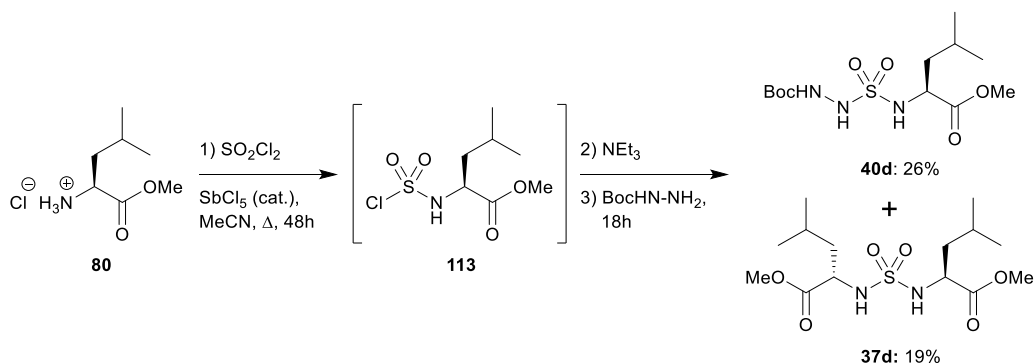
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Introduction

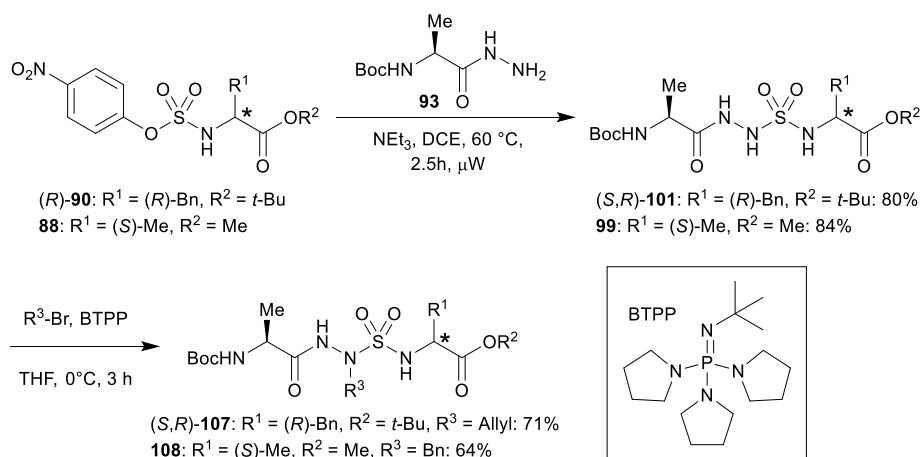
Mimics of the tetrahedral transition states common in enzyme-catalyzed reactions, such as phosphonamides⁹⁸ and silanediols,⁹⁹ have served as enzyme inhibitors. In this vein, the analogous α -aminosulfonamido peptide would offer potential; however, such α -aminosulfonamides were found to rapidly decompose.³⁷ On the contrary, reasonable stability has been exhibited by *N*-aminosulfamido peptides, in which a nitrogen and a sulfonyl group replace respectfully both the CH_α and the carbonyl of an amino acid residue. To the best of our knowledge, prior to our research, only one method had been reported for constructing acyclic *N*-aminosulfamides.⁷⁰ This method suffered, however, from sluggish couplings leading to formation of symmetric sulfamides, due to the use of sulfonyl chloride and catalytic amounts of antimony pentachloride to combine the hydrazide and amine components (Scheme 2.11).⁷⁰ Moreover, *N*-alkyl hydrazide synthesis was required for the introduction of side chains onto the *N*-aminosulfamide residue.

Scheme 2.11. Symmetric sulfamide formation competes with *N*-aminosulfamide synthesis.



We reported recently a three-step method for the synthesis of *N*-aminosulfamides.⁹¹ In the first step, crystalline 4-nitrophenyl sulfamidates are produced by acylation of the amino acid component with 4-nitrophenyl chlorosulfate. Sulfamidates (*R*)-**90** and **88** provide an effective means for preventing formation of symmetric sulfamide during *N*-aminosulfamide synthesis, such that in the second step, reaction with hydrazide **93** under microwave irradiation at 60°C gives selectively azasulfamido tripeptides (*S,R*)-**101** and **99**. Although side chains may be introduced by employment of *N*-alkyl hydrazides, we have also shown that chemoselective alkylation of the azasulfurylglycinamides can be accomplished to install effectively *N*-alkyl side-chains, using the phosphazene base BTPP (Scheme 2.12).

Scheme 2.12. Azasulfamido peptide synthesis.

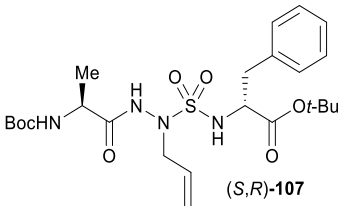
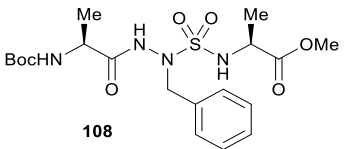


Results and Discussion

Alkylation of azasulfurylglycinamides (*S,R*)-**101** and **99** provides an effective method for adding diverse side chains to expand the scope of azasulfamido peptide diversity; however, the expense of BTPP as base may be prohibitive. Exploring alternative bases, we have found that the inexpensive and milder base, NEt₄OH can be effectively used to achieve the desired chemoselective alkylation (Table 2.1). In the alkylation of *N*-(Boc)alaninyl-azasulfurylglycinyl-D-phenylalanine *tert*-butyl ester [(*S,R*)-**101**] with allyl bromide, NEt₄OH at 40°C gave superior yield of (*S,R*)-**107** over BTPP at 0°C after 3h in THF. On the other hand, the alkylation of azasulfurylglycinamide **99** with benzyl bromide was less successful using the NEt₄OH conditions, likely due to competing methyl ester hydrolysis. To ascertain if epimerization

occurred during the alkylation of (*S,R*)-**101** using Et₄NOH, the diastereoisomeric ratio of (*S,R*)- and (*S,S*)-**107** were compared in MeOD. Observation of the respective *tert*-butyl ester signals at 1.41 ppm and 1.47 ppm in the ¹H NMR spectra revealed that no epimerization occurred.

Table 2.1. Head-to-head comparison of BTPP with Et₄NOH.

Product	Yield (BTPP, 0 °C, 3h)	Yield (Et ₄ NOH, 40 °C, 3h)
 <p>(<i>S,R</i>)-107</p>	71%	81%
 <p>108</p>	64%	40%

Conclusion

In conclusion, NEt₄OH has been used as an inexpensive milder replacement for the costly base BTPP in the chemoselective alkylation of azasulfurylglycinyl peptides.

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Chapitre 3 : Analyse conformationnelle des azasulfurylpeptides

3.1. Mise en contexte de l'article 3

Avec la nouvelle méthode de synthèse en solution développée, une étude plus approfondie sur les préférences conformationnelles des azasulfurylpeptides a été élaborée. Deux modèles de tripeptides contenant un AsG ont donc été cristallisés et examinés pour leur capacité à induire des tours γ .

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Crystal Structure Analyses of Azasulfuryltriptides Reveal Potential for γ -Turn Mimicry[†]

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Abstract

Azasulfurylpeptides feature an amino acid residue in which the C α H and the carbonyl are replaced respectively by a nitrogen atom and a sulfonyl group. Insight into the conformational preferences of azasulfurylpeptides containing an azasulfurylglycine (AsG) residue has been pursued using X-ray analysis in the solid state. Crystals of *N*-(Boc)-Pro-AsG-Val-OMe (**105**) and *N*-(Cbz)-Ala-AsG-D-Phe-*O**t*-Bu (**119**) showed tetrahedral geometries about the sulfur atom with the ω torsion angle preferring a staggered conformation. Furthermore, the ϕ and ψ torsion angles of the central azasulfuryl residue were respectively within close proximity to those of ideal inverse and classical γ -turns. In the crystal lattice, azasulfurylpeptide **119** engaged in intermolecular hydrogen bonds between the sulfonyl oxygen and hydrazide hydrogen in an antiparallel orientation.

Introduction

Peptide analogs that can effectively mimic the tetrahedral transition states found in enzyme-catalyzed amide bond hydrolysis have been pursued for use as enzyme inhibitors. For example, replacement of the amide carbonyl by a tetrahedral phosphorus atom using α -aminophosphonamides and α -aminophosphonamidates has provided inhibitors of human cyclophilin,²⁷ HIV-1 proteinase,^{26, 104} human neutrophil collagenase,²² enkephalinase and angiotensin-converting enzyme.¹⁰⁵ On the other hand, attempts have been less successful at employing β -aminosulfonamides as tetrahedral mimics in enzyme inhibitors of HIV protease,

thermolysin, and thrombin, as well as antigens for raising catalytic antibodies.³³ Notably, the application of α -aminosulfonamides as tetrahedral mimics in enzyme inhibitors has failed due to their rapid decomposition.³⁷

Azasulfurylpeptides **33** possess an amino acid residue from which the C α H and carbonyl have been respectively replaced by nitrogen and a sulfonyl group (Figure 3.1).⁷⁰ Although few examples of these peptidomimetics have been reported, their potential to mimic the tetrahedral geometry during amide bond hydrolysis was exploited by the insertion of azasulfurylphenylalanine (AsF) into a transition-state mimic, micromolar inhibitor of the human immunodeficiency virus-1 (HIV-1) proteinase, azasulfurylpeptide **34** (Figure 3.1).⁷¹ Although their physical characterization has been limited, azasulfurylpeptides may likely combine properties of azapeptides³⁸ and sulfonamides,^{72, 73} including (1) lone pair-lone pair repulsion between adjacent nitrogen favoring a ϕ -torsion angle of $\pm 90^\circ$,³⁸ (2) ω -torsion angle geometry favored at $\pm 60^\circ$ and $\pm 100^\circ$ respectively for the staggered and eclipsed conformations,⁷² (3) enhanced flexibility due to a lower S–N rotational barrier,⁷² and (4) a tetrahedral geometry about the sulfonyl group with S–N and S=O bond lengths that are relatively longer than amide bond lengths.⁷² Furthermore, the greater Brønsted acidity of the sulfamide proton and greater Lewis basicity of sulfuryl oxygens may offer interesting potential for favoring hydrogen bonding, similar to the related sulfonamides as demonstrated in their crystal structures.⁷⁵⁻⁷⁷

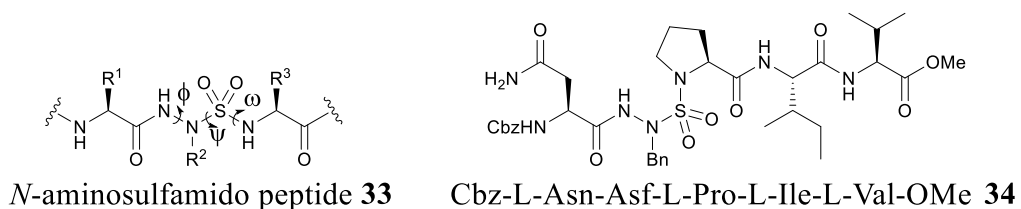
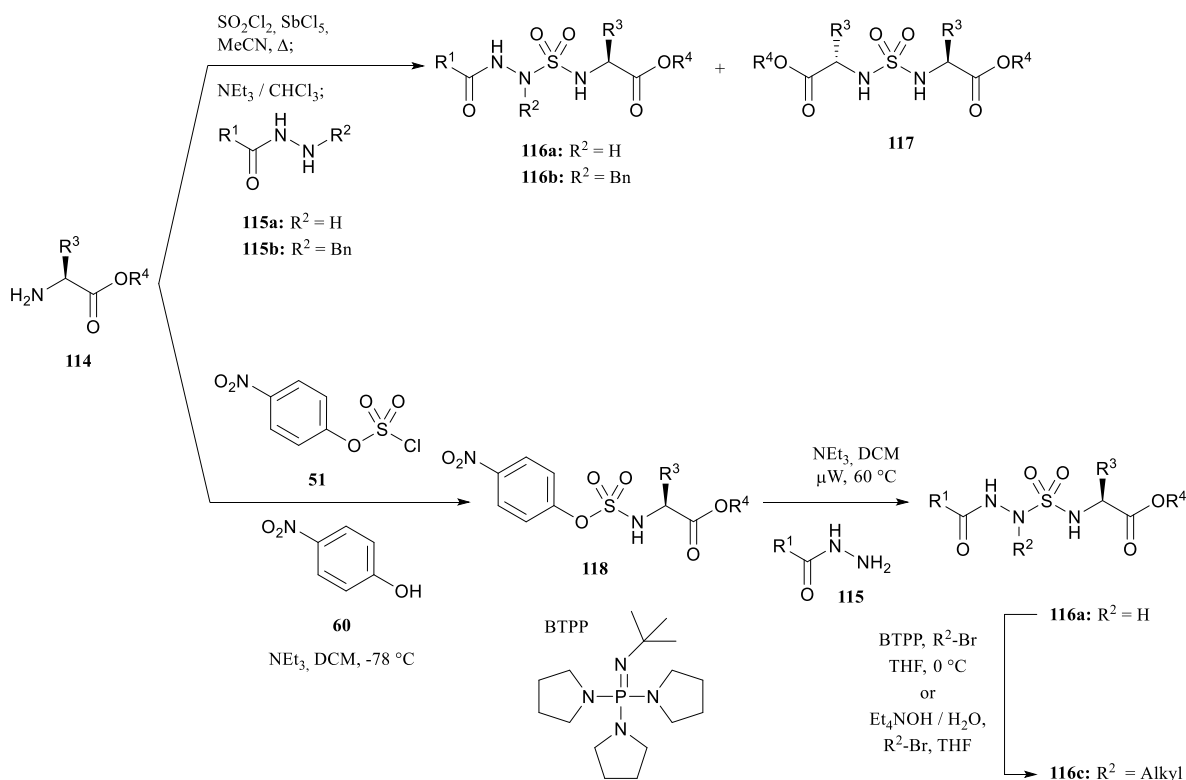


Figure 3.1. General structure of an azasulfurylpeptide (**33**) and HIV-1 proteinase inhibitor **34**.

In the first reported syntheses of azasulfurylpeptides, amine and hydrazide building blocks **114** and **115** were combined with sulfuryl chloride using a catalytic amount of antimony pentachloride (SbCl₅); however, symmetric sulfamide **117** was often formed as side product.⁷⁰ *N*-Benzyl protected hydrazide precursors **115b** could be employed to introduce a side-chain onto the *N*-aminosulfamide residue (Scheme 3.1).⁷⁰

Hydrazide acylation with amino acid-derived 4-nitrophenyl sulfamides **118** has provided azasulfuryltriptides without formation of symmetric sulfamide side product.⁹¹ Furthermore, chemoselective alkylations of azasulfuryltyrosine (AsG) tripeptides **116a** have facilitated the insertion of various side-chains onto the *N*-aminosulfamide residue (Scheme 3.1).^{91, 97}

Scheme 3.1. Solution-phase synthesis of *N*-aminosulfamides.



With effective means for making azasulfuryltriptides in hand, attention has turned to study their conformational preferences. Herein, the crystal structures are now reported for two azasulfuryltyrosinyl tripeptides: *N*-(Boc)-Pro-AsG-Val-OMe (**105**) and *N*-(Cbz)-Ala-AsG-D-Phe-O*t*Bu (**119**). The crystal structures for both azasulfuryltriptides exhibited properties characteristic of sulfonamides and azapeptides. Furthermore, they were found to adopt dihedral angles about the aminosulfamide residue that were similar to the central amino acid in a γ -turn secondary structure. γ -Turn conformations have been recognized to be important for the biological activity of various peptides,^{63, 66, 72, 106-114} particularly ligands of G-protein-coupled receptors.¹ In spite of their importance in various recognition events,^{111, 115-119} relatively few

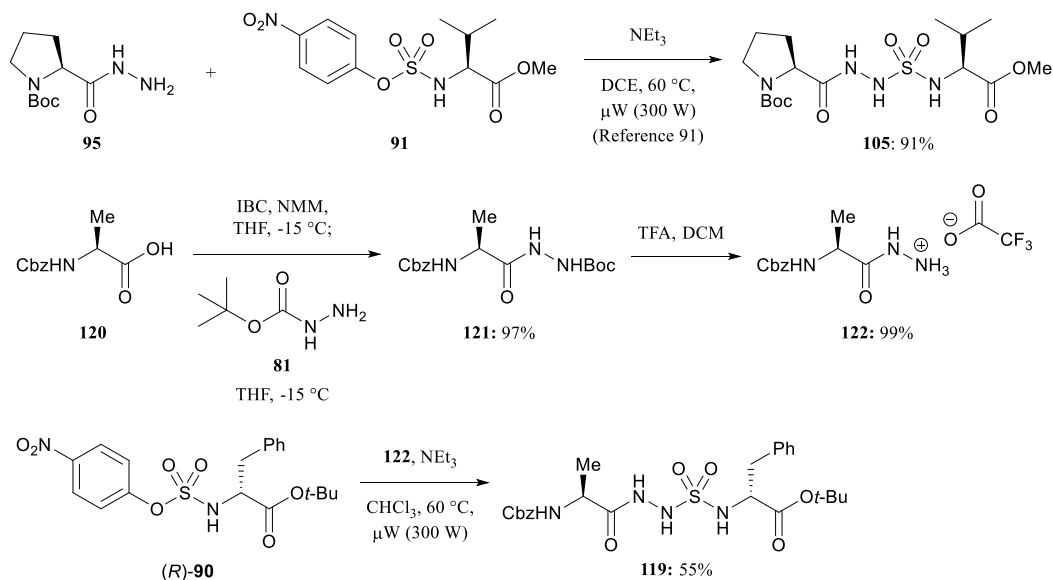
examples of γ -turn mimics have been reported; most involving conformational constraint by structural linkages such as benzodiazepine,⁶³ pyrrolodiazepine,⁶⁵ diazepine,⁶²⁻⁶⁴ morpholin-3-one,⁶⁶ 4-aminoproline,⁶⁸ 2-alkyl-2-carboxyazetidine,⁶⁷ 4-alkylamino-3-cyano-azabicyclo[3.2.1.]oct-3-ene,⁶⁹ as well as *N*-aminoimidazol-2-one heterocycles.^{58, 59} Considering the relevance of γ -turns in biologically active peptides, mimics derived from azasulfurylpeptides may find interesting utility.

Results and Discussion

Insight into the conformational preferences of azasulfurylpeptides has been obtained by using X-ray analysis in the solid state of two azasulfuryltri-peptide models. The Pro-AsG-Val (AsG = azasulfurylglycine) sequence was examined, because of the importance of the Pro-Gly dipeptide as the central residue of type II β -turn conformations.¹²⁰ The Pro-Gly-Val tripeptide is part of the repeating peptide sequence in elastin that has been shown to be a chemotactic factor for fibroblasts and monocytes.¹²¹ In addition, Boc-Pro-Gly-Val-OH has been shown to adopt a preferred β -turn conformation in solution and to act as an inhibitor of the prolyl hydroxylase.¹²² The Ala-AsG-D-Phe sequence was examined, because of its relationship to a key portion of azapeptide analogs of growth hormone releasing peptide-6 that we have previously shown to exhibit affinity and capacity to modulate the cluster of differentiation-36 receptor.^{81, 123}

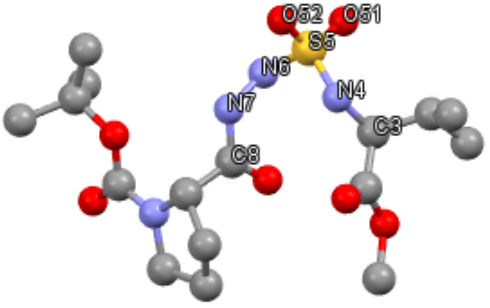
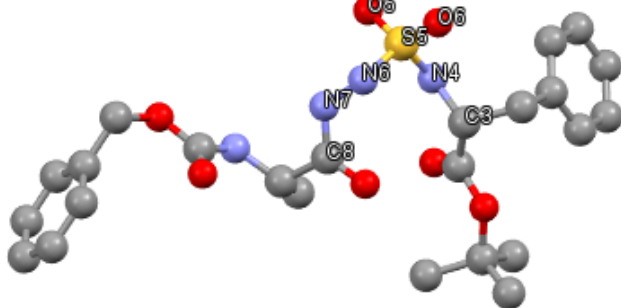
Crystals of *N*-(Boc)-Pro-AsG-Val-OMe (**105**)⁹¹ and *N*-(Cbz)-Ala-AsG-D-Phe-O*t*-Bu (**119**) (Table 3.1) were both respectively grown from hexanes in ethyl acetate. The synthesis of azasulfuryltri-peptide **105** was previously reported by coupling of hydrazide **95** and sulfamidate **91** in 1,2-dichloroethane (DCE) using microwave irradiation.⁹¹ On the other hand, the synthesis of azasulfuryltri-peptide **119** was achieved using an analogous microwave method as that described for **105** with the exception that hydrazide **122** and sulfamidate (*R*)-**90** were reacted in chloroform (CHCl₃) instead of DCE (Scheme 3.2).

Scheme 3.2. Synthesis of azasulfuryltriptides **118** and **119**.



X-ray crystallographic analyses have been previously reported only for azasulfuryldipeptides: *N*-(Ac)-AsF-Gly-OMe (**42**) and *N*-(Boc)-AsF-Pro-OMe (**43**).⁷⁰ In comparing the X-ray structures of the azasulfuryltriptides **105** and **119** with dipeptides **42** and **43**, the ω dihedral angles for the former were respectively 72.5° and -55.5°, consistent with the preferred staggered conformation ($\pm 60^\circ$) found in X-ray analyses of sulfonamides; however, those of the latter were -90°,⁷⁰ and closer to the eclipsed conformation ($\pm 100^\circ$) of sulfonamides. The ϕ dihedral angle of the azasulfuryltriptides **105** and **119** were respectively -107.8° and 105.1°, consistent with the theoretical value of $\pm 90^\circ$ predicted for diacylhydrazines and found in X-ray structures of azapeptides.¹²⁴⁻¹²⁹ The ψ torsion angle values of the azasulfuryltriptides **105** and **119** were also similar (respectively 51.1° and -61.4°). The ϕ and ψ dihedral angle combination of the azasulfuryltriptides **105** (-107.8°, 51.1°) and **119** (105.1°, -61.4°) were respectively within close proximity to the ideal torsion angle values of the central residues found in inverse (-75°, 65°) and classical (75°, -65°) γ -turns.

Table 3.1. Selected Bonds Length and Torsion Angles for *N*-(Boc)-Pro-AsG-Val-OMe (**105**) and *N*-(Cbz)-Ala-AsG-D-Phe-O*t*-Bu (**119**)

<i>N</i> -(Boc)-Pro-AsG-Val-OMe (105)		<i>N</i> -(Cbz)-Ala-AsG-D-Phe-O <i>t</i> -Bu (119)	
			
Atoms	Length (Å)	Atoms	Length (Å)
N(7)–N(6)	1.387	N(7)–N(6)	1.393
N(6)–S(5)	1.678	N(6)–S(5)	1.662
S(5)–N(4)	1.603	S(5)–N(4)	1.618
S(5)=O(51)/S(5)=O(52)	1.428/1.421	S(5)=O(5) / S(5)=O(6)	1.433/1.421
Torsion angles	Angle (°)	Torsion angles	Angle (°)
ϕ [C(8)–N(7)–N(6)–S(5)]	–107.8	ϕ [C(8)–N(7)–N(6)–S(5)]	105.1
ψ [N(7)–N(6)–S(5)–N(4)]	51.1	ψ [N(7)–N(6)–S(5)–N(4)]	–61.4
ω [N(6)–S(5)–N(4)–C(3)]	72.5	ω [N(6)–S(5)–N(4)–C(3)]	–55.5

Stabilization of the γ -turn geometry appears to arise from the combination of lone pair-lone pair repulsion between the adjacent nitrogen of the hydrazine,¹²⁹ and the conformational preferences of the sulfamide.⁷⁴ In contrast to γ -mimics based on covalent constraint,^{58, 59, 62-69} to the best of our knowledge, the azasulfuryltriptides presented herein represent the first examples of stabilization of a γ -turn conformation by electronic interactions of neighboring heteroatoms. Of particular note, introduction of azasulfuryl glycine for glycine in the Pro-Gly motif altered the commonly preferred type II β -turn geometry in favor of a γ -turn conformation. Azasulfuryltriptides may thus have potential to exhibit biological activity by mimicking such natural turn geometry. Although the solid state conformations may not necessarily represent the

population of conformers in solution or when bound to a receptor, the application of azasulfurylpeptide in γ -turn mimicry merits further consideration.

The sulfur to oxygen and sulfur to nitrogen bond lengths in the azasulfurylpeptides **42**, **43**, **105** and **119** were similar (Table 3.1). Furthermore, the S=O bond length (1.42 Å) was similar to the C-O bond lengths calculated in the tetrahedral intermediate of amide bond hydrolysis (Figure 3.2, **123**).¹³⁰ The two S-N bond lengths (1.61 Å and 1.68 Å) observed in the crystal structures were however longer than the respective C-C and C-N bond lengths predicted for the transition state of amide bond hydrolysis (Figure 3.2). The sulfur adopts a tetrahedral geometry, supporting the hypothesis that the azasulfurylpeptides may mimic the tetrahedral transition state found in amide bond hydrolysis, and the rationale behind the activity of HIV-1 proteinase inhibitor **34**.⁷¹

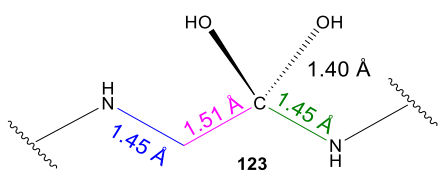


Figure 3.2. Calculated bond lengths of the tetrahedral intermediate in amide bond hydrolysis.

In addition, the crystal lattice of azasulfuryltri-peptide **119** exhibited intermolecular hydrogen bonds between the sulfonyl oxygen and the hydrazide amide hydrogen [i.e. N(37)-H(37)...O(5) and N(7)-H(7)...O(35)] in an antiparallel orientation (Figure 3.3).

Conclusion

X-Ray crystallography has been used to characterize *N*-(Boc)-Pro-AsG-Val-OMe (**105**) and *N*-(Cbz)-Ala-AsG-D-Phe-O*t*-Bu (**119**) in order to better understand the conformational properties of azasulfurylpeptides. The dihedral angles, bond lengths and bond angles of **105** and **119** illustrated that features of azapeptides and sulfonamides are found in their *N*-aminosulfamide structures. For example, the tetrahedral geometry about the sulfur of the azasulfurylpeptides resembled the transition state found in amide bond hydrolysis. Moreover, the *N*-aminosulfamide residue in azasulfurylpeptides **105** and **119** adopted backbone dihedral angles that respectively mimicked the central residue of inverse and classical γ -turns, suggesting their potential to serve as surrogates of this important biological active turn geometry. In

addition, crystal packing of tripeptide **119** indicated significant intermolecular hydrogen bonding between sulfonyl oxygen and hydrazide hydrogen. Considering these features, structure-activity relationships of azasulfurylpeptides are now being studied in larger biologically active peptides.

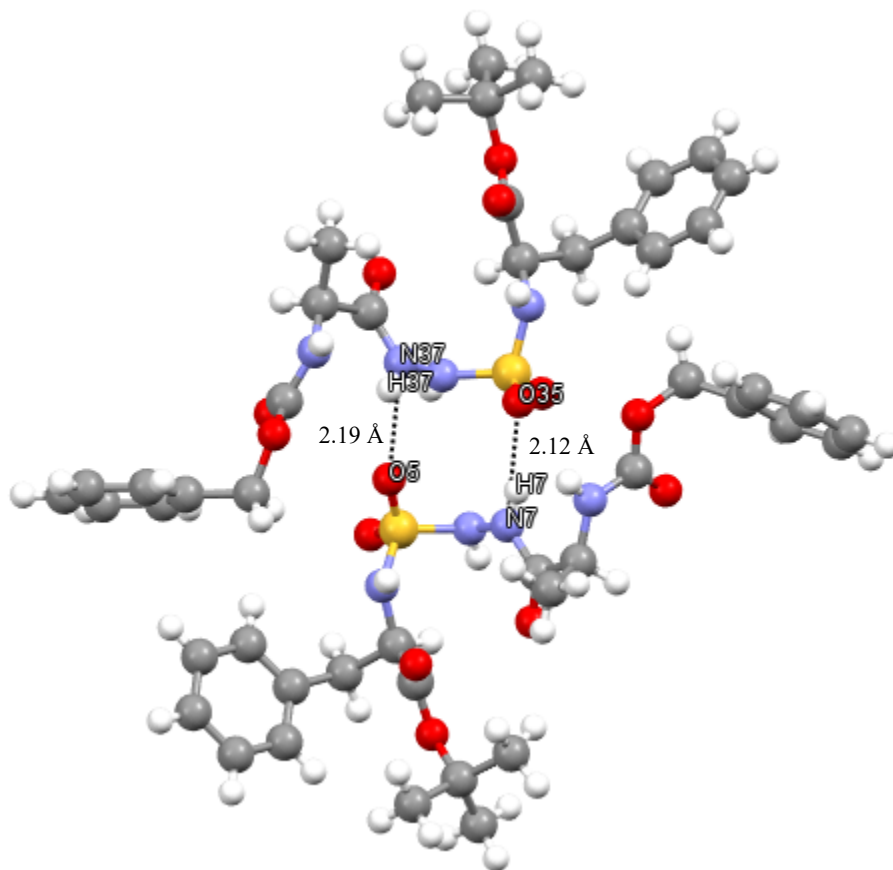


Figure 3.3. Packing structure of *N*-(Cbz)-Ala-AsG-D-Phe-*O**t*-Bu (**119**).

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Chapitre 4 : Synthèse sur support solide des azasulfurylpeptides

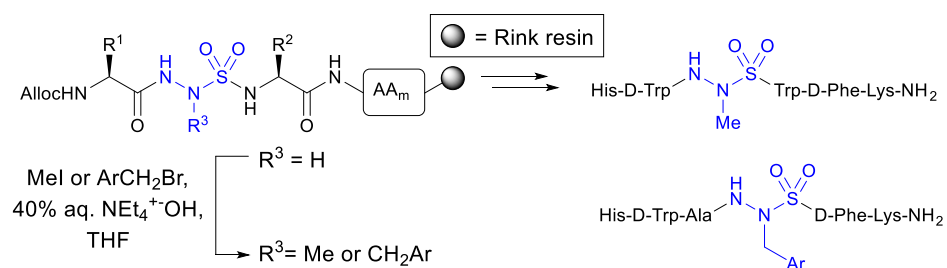
4.1. Mise en contexte de l'article 4

Dans le but de développer une synthèse combinatoire sur support solide des azasulfurylpeptides, deux voies de synthèse sont proposées. La première approche utilise des azasulfuryltriptides alkylés avant leur insertion sur support solide pour pouvoir compléter des analogues de GHRP-6. Dans la deuxième approche, suite à une protection préalable des AsG par un groupement Fmoc, les alkylations chimiosélectives sont réalisées sur résine. Six analogues [azasulfuryl⁴]-GHRP-6 ont ainsi été synthétisés, tandis que la synthèse des analogues [azasulfuryl³]-GHRP-6 demeure toujours en investigation.

Article 4

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Solid-Phase Azasulfurylpeptide Synthesis

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Abstract

Featuring an amino acid surrogate in which the C α H and carbonyl are replaced respectively by nitrogen and a sulfonyl group, azasulfurylpeptides offer interesting potential for transition and ground state peptide mimicry. Employing azasulfuryltri-peptide building blocks and the alkylation of the azasulfurylglycine (AsG) residue on Rink resin, a diversity-oriented approach for azasulfurylpeptide synthesis has been conceived and used to prepare six analogs of growth hormone releasing peptide-6 (GHRP-6).

Introduction

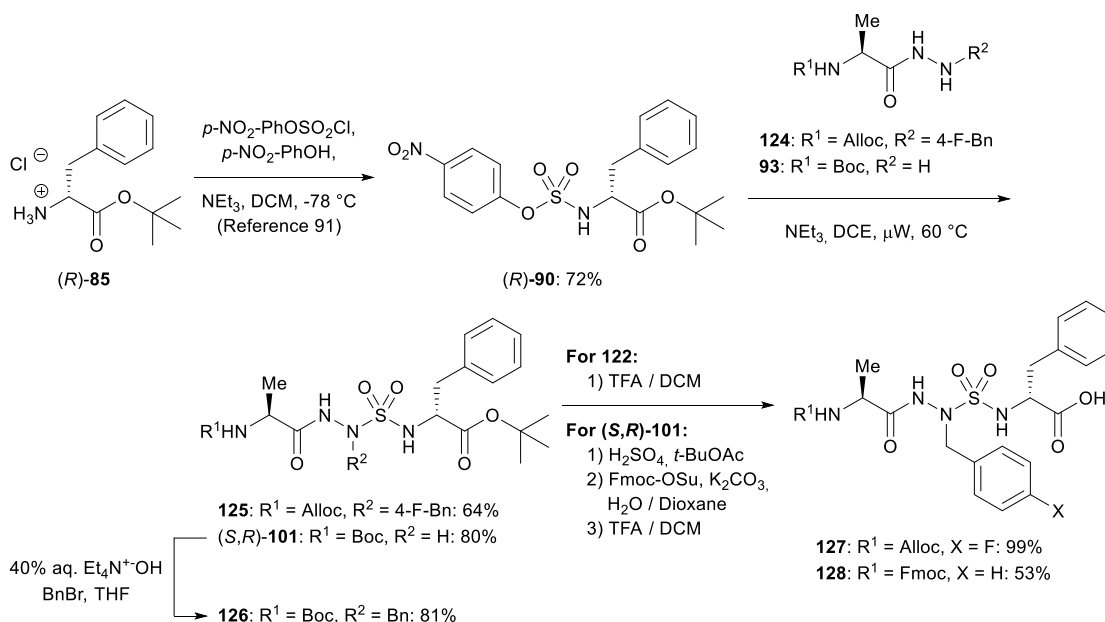
Combining the properties of azapeptides³⁸ and sulfonamides,^{72, 73} azasulfurylpeptides possess an amino acid surrogate in which the C α H and carbonyl components are respectively replaced by nitrogen and a sulfonyl group.^{70, 71, 91, 97} Conformational analysis of azasulfuryltri-peptide analogs have recently demonstrated their potential to mimic both the tetrahedral transition state of amide bond hydrolysis, as well as the backbone geometry of peptide turns.¹³¹ In particular, the combination of lone pair-lone pair repulsion between their adjacent nitrogen,³⁸ and the potential for staggered ($\pm 60^\circ$) and eclipsed ($\pm 100^\circ$) sulfonamide conformers⁷² favors the aminosulfamide residue to adopt backbone geometry characteristic of the ϕ^{i+1} and ψ^{i+1} dihedral angles of ideal γ - and type II β -turns. The *N*-aminosulfamide residue has served as a transition state mimic of amide hydrolysis in a micromolar human immunodeficiency virus-1 (HIV-1) proteinase inhibitor;⁷¹ however, azasulfurylpeptide utility in turn mimicry of biological active peptides has yet to be explored. The latter concept is intriguing because of the expected greater Brønsted acidity of the sulfamide protons and greater Lewis basicity of the sulfuryl oxygens.⁷⁵⁻⁷⁷

The absence of a solid-phase approach for the synthesis of azasulfurylpeptides has limited such studies. The synthesis of azasulfuryltri-peptides in solution was enhanced by employment of amino acid-derived *p*-nitrophenyl-sulfamidates (e.g., (*R*)-**90**) for hydrazide (e.g., **124** and **93**) acylation (Scheme 4.1),⁹¹ because symmetric sulfamide side-product was avoided.⁷⁰ Furthermore, chemoselective alkylation of azasulfuryl-glycine (AsG) in tripeptide analogs (e.g., (*S,R*)-**101**) empowered installment of side-chains onto the *N*-aminosulfamide residue.⁹¹

In the context of our program to develop cluster of differentiation-36 modulators, we have studied analogs of growth hormone releasing peptide-6 (GHRP-6, His-D-Trp-Ala-Trp-D-Phe-Lys-NH₂).^{81, 123, 132} For example, the azapeptides [azaTyr⁴]-GHRP-6 and [Ala¹, azaPhe⁴]-GHRP-6 exhibited respectively pro- and anti-angiogenic activity.¹²³ Targeting to improve receptor interactions, azasulfurylpeptide analogs of GHRP-6 have now been pursued.

Building on the methods for solution-phase synthesis, solid-phase azasulfurylpeptide synthesis has been elaborated with the goal of developing a diversity-oriented approach for making libraries to study structure-activity relationships. Employing Rink resin and an Fmoc-protection strategy, GHRP-6 analogs were prepared with *N*-aminosulfamide residues respectively at the 3- and 4-positions.

Scheme 4.1. Solution-phase syntheses of azasulfuryltri-peptides *N*-(Alloc)-Ala-AsF(4-F)-D-Phe (**127**) and *N*-(Fmoc)-Ala-AsF-D-Phe (**128**).



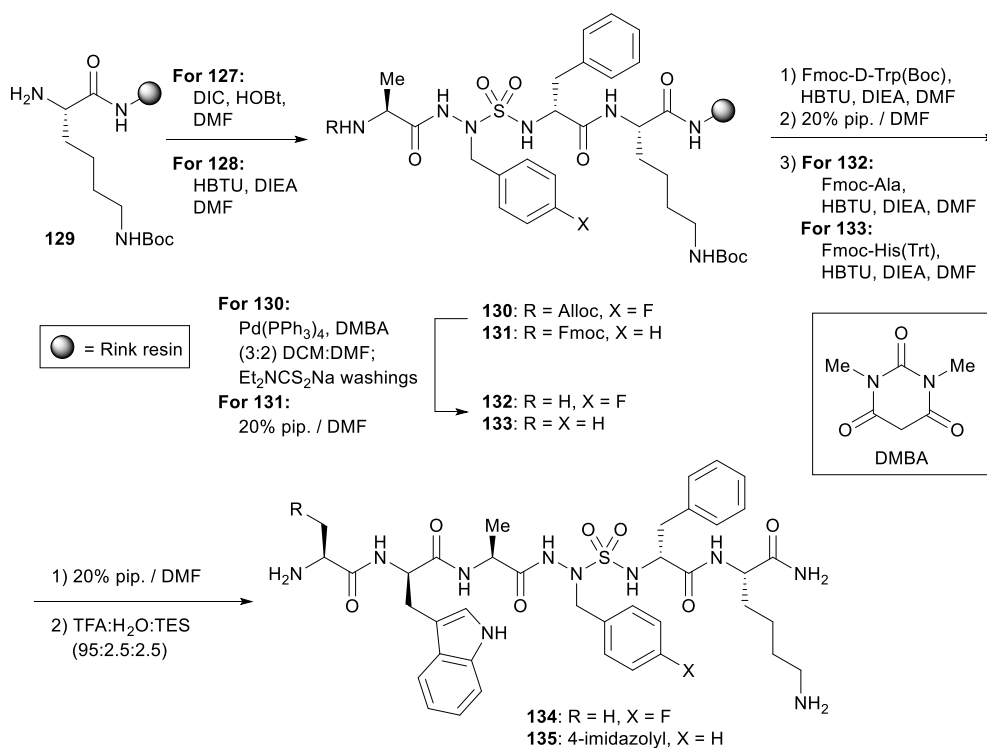
Results and Discussion

Attempts to prepare *N*-aminosulfamide from a supported peptide by the synthesis of the corresponding resin-bound sulfamidate using *p*-nitrophenyl chlorosulfate followed by coupling to a hydrazide failed. In solution, activation of valine *iso*-propylamide with *p*-nitrophenyl chlorosulfate gave the desired sulfamidate in only 15% yield, presumably, because intramolecular cyclization occurred on the *C*-terminal amide nitrogen to form a sulfahydantoin analog (not isolated).¹³³

Subsequently, azasulfuryltriptides were used as building blocks to install amino-sulfamide residues into longer peptides. Initially, *N*-(Alloc)-alaninyl-azasulfuryl-4-fluorophenylalaninyl- and *N*-(Fmoc)-alaninyl-azasulfurylphenylalaninyl-D-phenylalanines (**127** and **128**) were respectively synthesized in solution by approaches featuring the introduction of the arylmethyl moiety by coupling of 4-fluorobenzyl hydrazide **124** to sulfamidate (*R*)-**90**, as well as alkylation of azasulfuryl-glycinyl tripeptide (*S,R*)-**101** (Scheme 4.1, Experimental Section).^{91, 97}

The AsF-tripeptide building blocks **127** and **128** were respectively coupled onto Lys(Boc) Rink resin **129** (Scheme 4.2). After respective removal of the Fmoc and Alloc groups using piperidine in DMF, and Pd(PPh₃)₄ with 1,3-dimethylbarbituric acid (DMBA), conventional Fmoc-based solid-phase synthesis was used to elongate the peptides. Couplings were performed with HBTU and DIEA in DMF employing Fmoc-D-Trp(Boc), followed by Fmoc-Ala or Fmoc-His(Trt). Cleavage of the peptides from the resin using a solution of TFA:H₂O:TES (95:2.5:2.5) in a cold room (4 °C), and purification by HPLC afforded respectively [Ala¹, AsF(4-F)⁴]-GHRP-6 (**134**) and [AsF⁴]-GHRP-6 (**135**) in 23% and 12% overall yields from tripeptides **127** and **128** (Table 4.1).

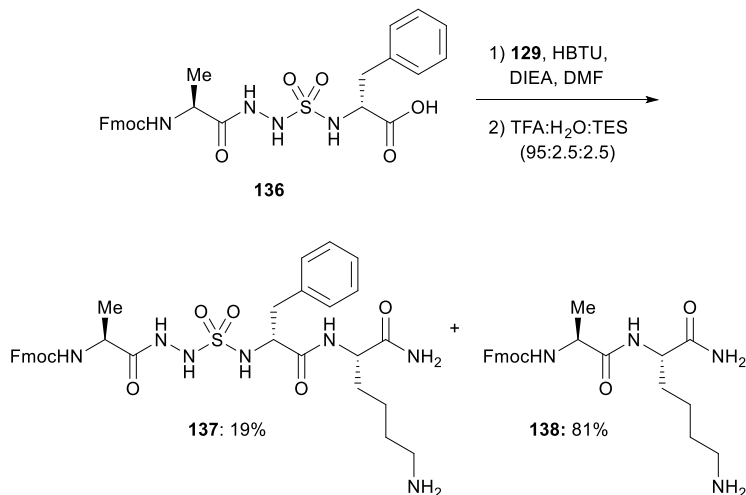
Scheme 4.2. Solid-phase peptide synthesis of [Ala¹, AsF(4-F)⁴]-GHRP-6 (**134**) and [AsF⁴]-GHRP-6 (**135**).



Although the fragment approach for solid-phase synthesis provided access to AsF⁴-GHRP-6 analogs **134** and **135**, alkylation of a resin-bound AsG peptide was pursued to facilitate introduction of side-chain diversity for structure-activity relationship studies. Attempts to couple *N*-(Fmoc)-Ala-AsG-D-Phe (**136**) to Lys(Boc) amide resin **129** met however with failure. Instead of the formation of AsG peptide **137**, analysis of an aliquot of resin by LC-MS after cleavage with TFA:H₂O:TES (95:2.5:2.5) indicated that the major product was the deletion sequence Fmoc-Ala-Lys-NH₂ from formation and cleavage of peptide **138** (Scheme 4.3). Considering AsF- and AsG-tripeptides **128** and **136** were respectively coupled effectively and unsuccessfully, the presence of the sulfamide proton was hypothesized to account for the degradation of the building block leading to the deletion product **138**.¹³⁴ Strategies were thus pursued to protect the AsG residue prior to coupling. Although allyl and phenylsulfonyl ethyl protection of the *N*-aminosulfamide residue could be introduced on the AsG residue to give azasulfuryl tripeptide building blocks that were coupled successfully onto resin **129**, attempts to

remove these alkyl groups were unsuccessful, using $\text{Pd}(\text{PPh}_3)_4$ and DMBA, and piperidine in DMF, to effect respectively allyl transfer and β -elimination.

Scheme 4.3. Attempted coupling of azasulfurylglycyl tripeptide **136** to resin **129**.



On the other hand, Fmoc protection of the *N*-aminosulfamide residue provided a successful means for introducing AsG residues into peptides. Acylation of azasulfurylglycine peptide **139** with Fmoc-OSu and sodium carbonate gave *N*-(Alloc)-Ala-AsG(Fmoc)-D-Phe-*OT*Bu (**140**) in 86% yield (Scheme 4.4). Removal of the *tert*-butyl ester provided acid **141**, which was coupled to Lys(Boc) resin **129** employing DIC and HOBt in DMF. Liberation of the *N*-aminosulfamide by removal of the Fmoc protection was achieved using piperidine in DMF to give AsG peptide resin **143**.

With AsG peptide **143** in hand, a proof-of-concept synthesis was performed by alkylation with benzyl bromide using tetraethylammonium hydroxide in THF to afford cleanly AsF peptide **144a** (Scheme 4.4). After alloc group removal, sequence elongation, and cleavage, peptide **134** was obtained in 78% crude purity, as assessed by LC-MS analysis and demonstrated to have identical retention time as material made by the building block approach described above.

Having validated the alkylation method by making [AsF⁴]-GHRP-6 (**134**), diverse [azasulfuryl⁴]-GHRP-6 analogs were pursued using similar conditions with a series of arylmethyl halides (Scheme 4.4): 4-fluoro-, 4-methoxy- and 4-dimethyl-*tert*-butylsilyloxybenzyl bromides, as well as 2-naphthylmethyl bromide. Conversion after

alkylation was assessed by cleavage of an aliquot of resin and LC-MS analysis, which detected 53-81% of **144a-e** contaminated with 5-11% of *bis*-alkylated product **145b-e**. After removal of the alloc protection, washing with sodium diethyldithiocarbamate, elongation of the peptide sequence, and cleavage as described above for **134**, azasulfurylpeptides **146b-e** were obtained in 52-70% crude purities and isolated by HPLC in 3-10% overall yields (Table 4.1).

Scheme 4.4. Diversity-oriented azasulfurylpeptide synthesis.

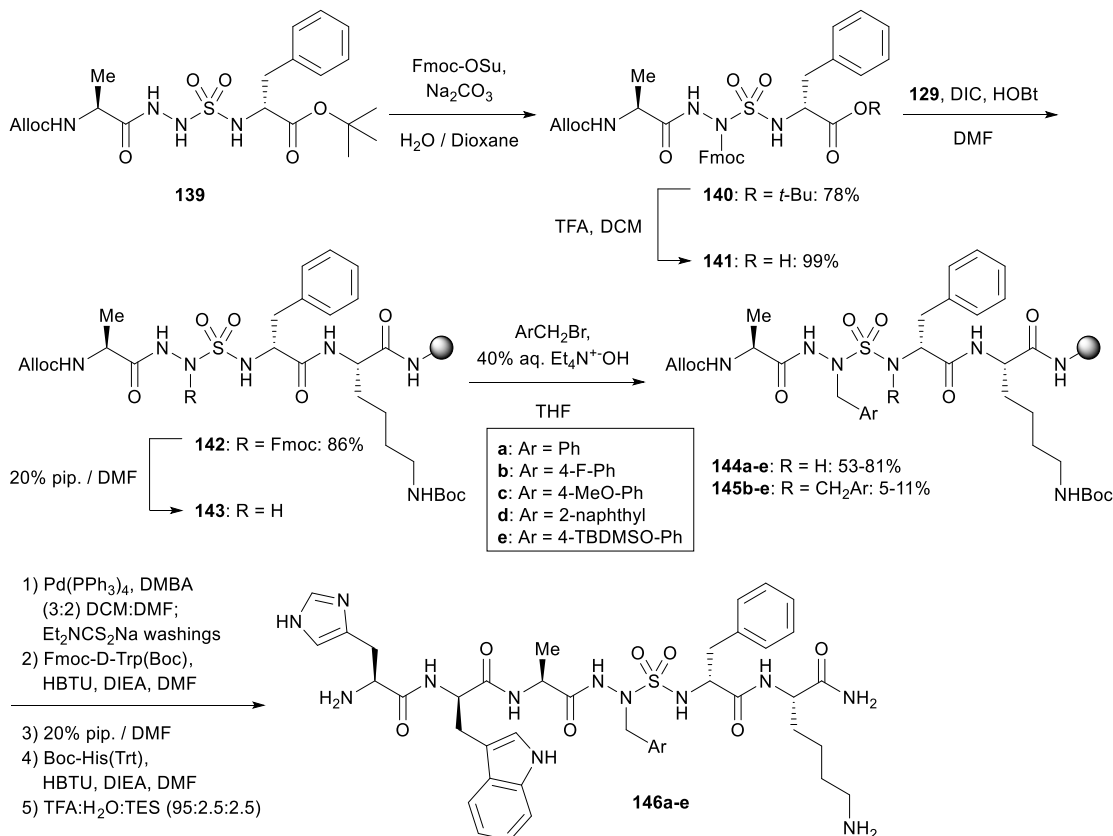
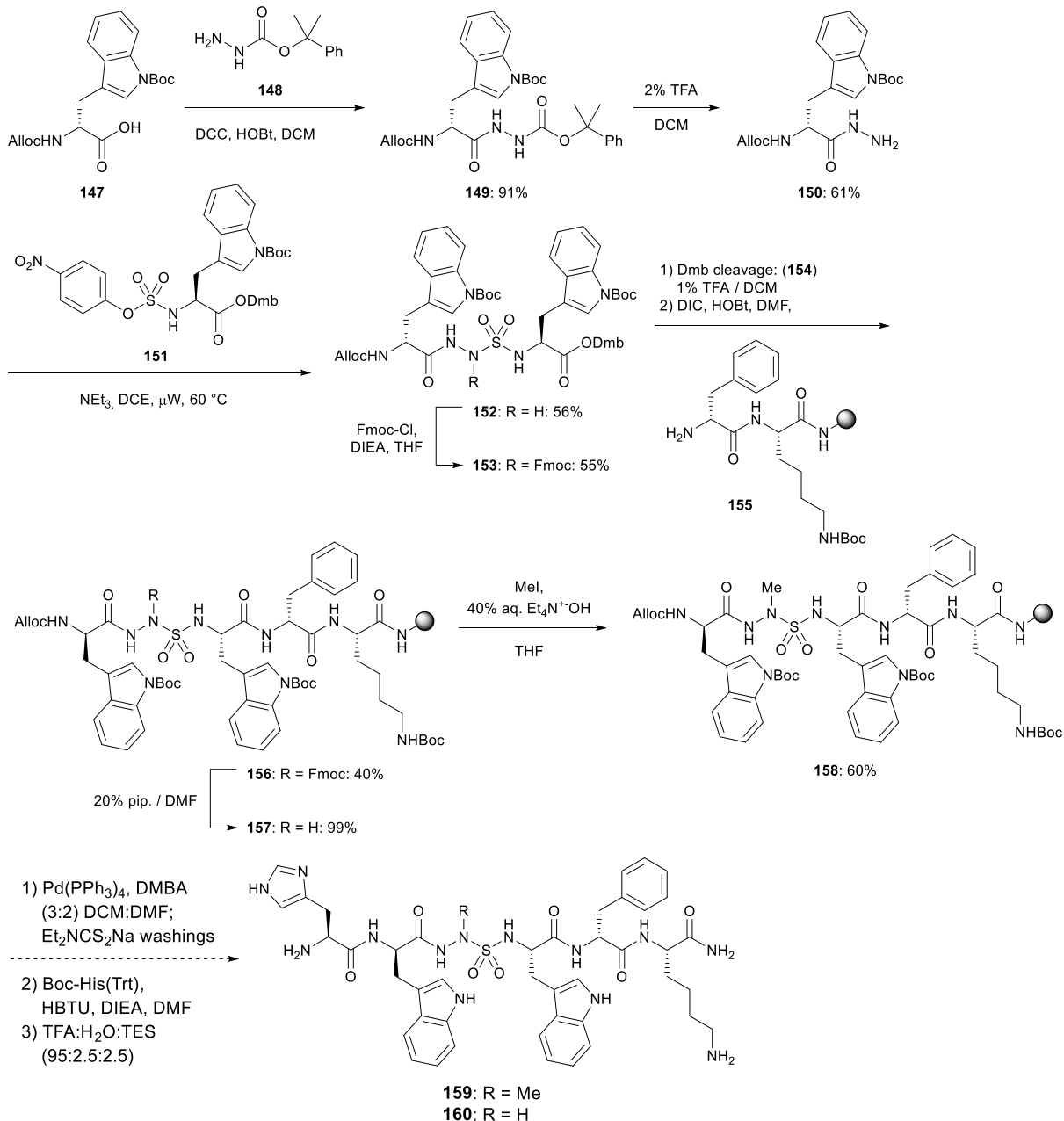


Table 4.1. Yields and purities of [azasulfuryl⁴]-GHRP 6 analogs.

Peptides	Crude purity ^a	Isolated Purity ^b	Isolated yields ^c	HRMS	
				m / z (cal)	m / z (obs)
Ala-D-Trp-Ala-AsF(4-F)-D-Phe-Lys-NH ₂ (134)	59%	>99%	23%	845.3647	845.3539
His-D-Trp-Ala-AsF-D-Phe-Lys-NH ₂ (135)	73%	99%	12%	893.3851	893.3832
His-D-Trp-Ala-AsF(4-F)-D-Phe-Lys-NH ₂ (146b)	63%	>99%	3%	911.3757	911.3769
His-D-Trp-Ala-AsF(4-MeO)-D-Phe-Lys-NH ₂ (146c)	70%	>99%	10%	923.3957	923.3936
His-D-Trp-Ala-AsA(2-naphthyl)-D-Phe-Lys-NH ₂ (146d)	52%	98%	10%	943.4008	943.4007
His-D-Trp-Ala-AsY-D-Phe-Lys-NH ₂ (146e)	63%	>99%	9%	909.3801	909.3805

^a Crude peptide purity ascertained by LC-MS analysis using 5-80% MeOH (0.1% FA) in H₂O (0.1% FA) as eluent. ^b Isolated peptide purity ascertained by LC-MS analysis in two systems: MeOH (0.1% FA) in H₂O (0.1% FA), and MeCN (0.1% FA) in H₂O (0.1% FA). ^c Isolated yields calculated based on resin loading.

To validate solid-phase synthesis of azasulfuryl residues without substituent and with simple alkyl substituents, the Ala³ position of GHRP-6 was modified. The synthesis of the requisite building block, *N*-(Alloc)-D-Trp(Boc)-AsG(Fmoc)-Trp(Boc) (**154**) was accomplished by employing cumyl carbazate (**148**) to make hydrazide **150** and 2,4-dimethoxybenzyl (Dmb) ester protection of sulfamidate **151**, because of their removal with mild acid conditions that preserved the Boc side chain protection (Scheme 4.5). Employing D-Phe-Lys(Boc) resin **155**, AsG tripeptide **154** was coupled using DIC and HOBt in DMF to provide pentapeptide **156** in 40% crude purity. Alkylation of AsG **157** with iodomethane and tetraethylammonium hydroxide in THF for 5 h gave azasulfurylalanine (AsA) in 60% conversion. After the removal of the Alloc protecting group, analysis of an aliquot of resin by LC-MS after cleavage gave a mass indicative that the Alloc was cleaved, albeit in 17% crude purity. However, in the hopes of completing [AsA³]- (**159**) and [AsG³]-GHRP-6 (**160**) from unalkylated AsG **157**, no reaction occurred when the coupling of Fmoc- or Boc-His(Trt) with HBTU and DIEA was attempted. Other experiments are currently under investigation in order to understand why these couplings failed.

Scheme 4.5. Synthesis of [AsA³]-GHRP-6 (**159**) and [AsG³]-GHRP-6 (**160**).

Conclusion

In conclusion, solid-phase methods were developed for the synthesis of azasulfurylpeptides. Six [azasulfuryl⁴]-GHRP-6 analogs were prepared using azasulfuryl tripeptide building blocks. Employing *N*-alkylsulfamides **127** and **128**, [Ala¹, AsF(4-F)⁴]- and [AsF⁴]-GHRP-6 (**134** and **135**) were synthesized using a modified Fmoc

strategy for solid-phase peptide synthesis. Although coupling of azasulfurylglycine tripeptide **136** gave mostly deletion sequence **138**, Fmoc protection of the *N*-aminosulfamide residue in peptides **141** and **154** empowered introduction of AsG residues. Alkylation of the AsG residue with different arylhalides provided a set of [azasulfuryl⁴]-GHRP-6 analogs, which are currently being investigated for biological activity.

Chapitre 5 : Perspectives

6.1. Modulateurs du Toll-like receptor 2 (TLR2)

Les *Toll-like receptors* (TLRs) jouent un rôle important dans les réponses inflammatoires et immunitaires.^{135, 136} Ces récepteurs sont impliqués dans un processus de signalisation dans lequel la biosynthèse des cytokines proinflammatoires est promue suite à l'activation du *Nuclear Factor Kappa-light-chain-enhancer of activated B cells* (NF- κ B).¹³⁷ La modulation des TLRs a donc du potentiel dans le traitement de maladies immunitaires, en modulant la réponse inflammatoire.^{138, 139}

Par exemple, des agonistes immunostimulants des TLRs sont présentement sur le marché, comme l'Imiquimod (**187**), un dérivé d'imidazoquinoline (Figure 5.1), impliqué dans le combat contre le *human papillomavirus* (HPV), une maladie transmissible sexuellement, et comme agoniste du TLR7.¹³⁸ L'agoniste du TLR4, le monophosphoryl lipid A, a été approuvé comme additif dans plusieurs vaccins.¹³⁸ En addition, plusieurs composés dérivés d'acides nucléiques sont recherchés pour moduler les TLRs.¹³⁸

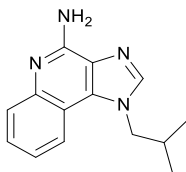


Figure 5.1. Agoniste des TLRs, l'Imiquimod (**187**).

L'inhibition du processus de signalisation des TLRs est impliquée dans le traitement de lésions ischémiques, suite à des crises cardiaques,¹⁴⁰ ainsi que dans la maladie neuro-dégénérative de l'Alzheimer.¹⁴¹ D'une importance particulière, un anticorps antagoniste du TLR2 a été impliqué dans la réduction des risques des lésions ischémiques¹⁴² et de l'inflammation rencontrée suite à une transplantation rénale.¹⁴³ La recherche de composés capables de moduler les fonctions du TLR2 est donc d'un grand intérêt.

Le complexe hétérodimère TLR2-TLR6 est présent avec le CD36 dans des cellules microvasculaires endothéliales et les macrophages qui agit comme co-récepteur.¹⁴⁴ Le processus de signalisation est donc dépendant du CD36 (Figure 5.2).¹⁴⁵ Des ligands pouvant interagir avec le récepteur CD36 auraient donc un potentiel à réguler les fonctions de ce complexe des TLRs par un mécanisme allostérique.

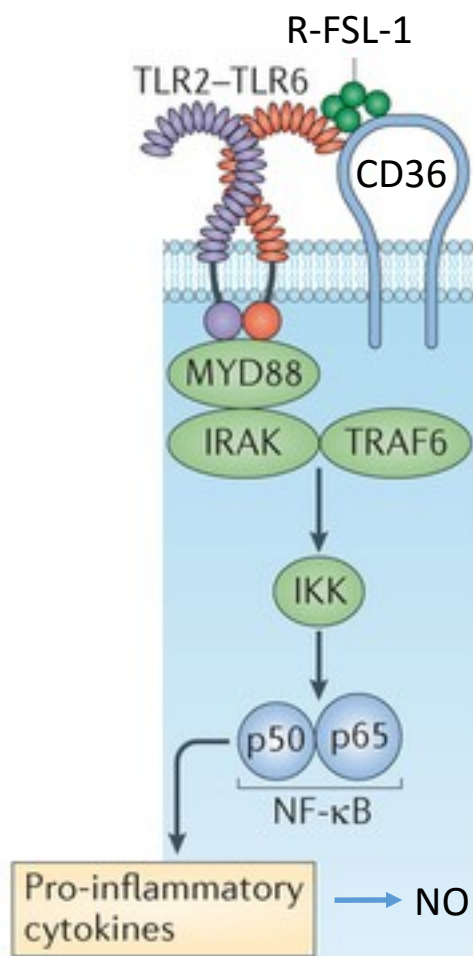


Figure 5.2. Processus de signalment du complexe TLR2-TLR6.¹⁴⁵

Suite à la synthèse des [azasulfuryl⁴]-GHRP-6, l'affinité de liaison des azasulfurylpeptides au CD36 a tout d'abord été déterminée par résonance des plasmons de surface¹⁴⁶ (par Jérémie Labrecque-Carbonneau) en collaboration avec le Professeur Jean-François Masson à l'Université de Montréal, pour leur affinité envers CD36 (Tableau 5.1). Tous les analogues synthétisés ont démontré une affinité légèrement supérieure au GHRP-6.

Tableau 5.1. Constantes d'affinité envers CD36 des [azasulfuryl⁴]-GHRP-6.

Peptides	K _D (μM)
His-D-Trp-Ala-Trp-Phe-Lys-NH ₂ (GHRP-6)	25.6
His-D-Trp-Ala-AsF-D-Phe-Lys-NH ₂ (135)	4.5
His-D-Trp-Ala-AsF(4-F)-D-Phe-Lys-NH ₂ (146b)	20.0
His-D-Trp-Ala-AsF(4-MeO)-D-Phe-Lys-NH ₂ (146c)	9.8
His-D-Trp-Ala-AsA(2-naphthyl)-D-Phe-Lys-NH ₂ (146d)	13.9
His-D-Trp-Ala-AsY-D-Phe-Lys-NH ₂ (146e)	12.0

Étant donné leur bonne affinité pour CD36 *in vitro*, les azasulfurylpeptides ont ensuite été analysés par essais cellulaires pour leur capacité à moduler l'activité des TLR2 stimulés par des ligands spécifiques comme le *fibroblast-stimulating lipopeptide 1* (R-FSL-1) ou l'acide lipotéichoïque (LTA) (par Katia Mellal et Mukandila Mulumba) en collaboration avec le Professeur Huy Ong du département de Pharmacologie à la Faculté de Pharmacie de l'Université de Montréal.

Dans une première analyse visant à mesurer la modulation de la production de monoxyde d'azote (NO), un sous-produit réactif formé suite à l'induction dans les macrophages de ligands du TLR2, stimulé par le R-FSL-1 ou LTA, les azasulfurylpeptides [AsF(4-F)⁴]- (**146b**) et [AsF(4-MeO)⁴]-GHRP-6 (**146c**) ont démontré une capacité d'atténuer cette production de NO (Figure 5.3) dans les macrophages, lorsque stimulés avec le R-FSL-1; [AzaLys⁶]-GHRP-6 (**188**) a servi de contrôle négatif. Le terme « vehicle » est attribué à des macrophages de contrôle auquel le TLR2 n'a pas été stimulé par le R-FSL-1. L'analyse a été poursuivie pour la sécrétion du *tumor necrosis factor alpha* (TNFα) et du *monocyte chemoattractant protein 1* (MCP-1) par les cytokines proinflammatoires. Les azasulfurylpeptides **146b** et **146c** ont également réduit la sécrétion de ces derniers par 23% (Figure 5.4). Il est important de mentionner que l'atténuation de la réponse inflammatoire induite par l'activation des TLR2 est recherchée sans toutefois inhiber complètement leur activation, causant un problème d'immunodéficience.

Par la suite, le profil cinétique de la modulation du TLR2 sur NF-κB, suite à son induction avec l'*Interferon γ* (IFN γ) a été mesuré pour **146b**. Cet azasulfurylpeptide a donc

diminué l'activation de NF- κ B par 11% à 5 min, par 29% à 10 min et par 25% à 15 min, après leur exposition au R-FSL-1 (Figure 5.5).

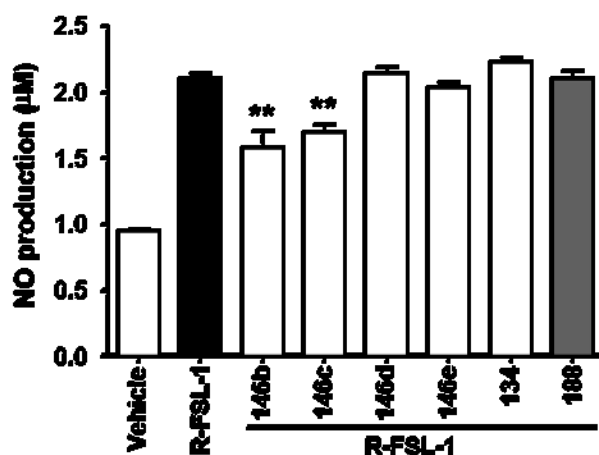


Figure 5.3. Modulation de la surproduction de NO induite par l'activation du TLR2 avec R-FSL-1 par les azasulfurylpeptides après 24 h.

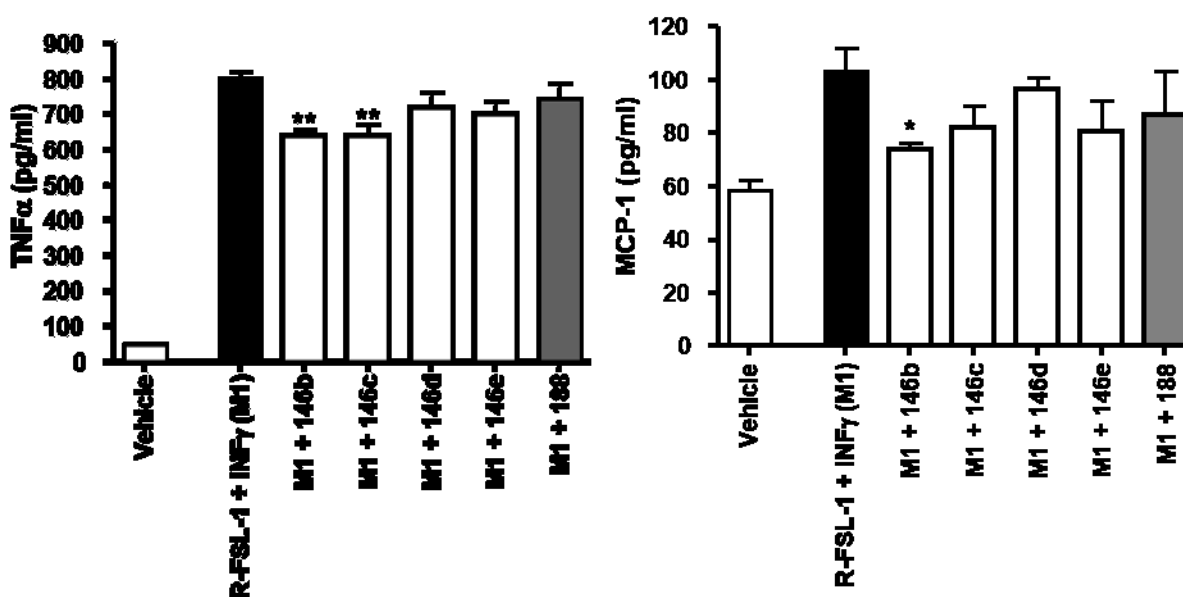


Figure 5.4. Modulation de la sécrétion de TNF α et MCP-1 induite par l'activation du TLR2 avec R-FSL-1 par les azasulfurylpeptides.

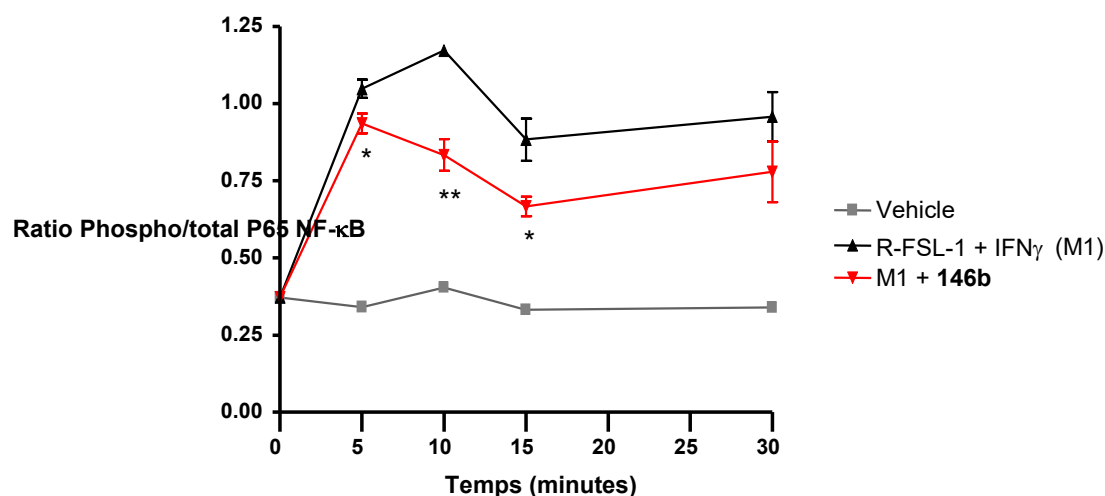


Figure 5.5. Profil cinétique de l'activation de NF- κ B induite par l'activation du TLR2 avec R-FSL-1 par l'azasulfurylpeptide **146b**.

Afin de démontrer la dépendance du CD36 dans la modulation de la fonction du TLR2, des tests ont été réalisés sur des souris knockout (déficientes) du gène CD36. Les résultats n'ont démontré aucune influence des azasulfurylpeptides sur la modulation de la sécrétion de TNF α et MCP-1 induit par l'activation du TLR2 (Figure 5.6). De plus, dans une dernière étude sur l'activation du TLR2 avec le LTA (dépendante du CD36; agoniste du complexe TLR2/TLR6) et avec le PAM₃CSK₄ (indépendante du CD36; agoniste du complexe TLR1/TLR2), les azasulfurylpeptides **146b** et **146c** ont modulé la sécrétion du TNF α seulement pour l'activation avec le LTA (Figure 5.7).

Ces résultats démontrent le potentiel des azasulfurylpeptides **146b** et **146c** à pouvoir réguler le rôle du TLR2 qui induit les réponses inflammatoires et immunitaires innées.¹⁴⁷ D'autres tests sont présentement en cours quant à leur capacité à diminuer l'inflammation résultant de la formation de drusen (dépôt de lipoprotéines) dans l'espace sous rétinien; un des caractéristiques observé dans la dégénérescence maculaire liée à l'âge de type sec.¹⁴⁸ Cette réduction de l'inflammation permettrait de réduire le développement de la pathologie dont la phase avancée est caractérisée par une néovascularisation choroïdienne,¹⁴⁸ causant graduellement la cécité. Des tests sur la régulation de l'angiogenèse avec les azasulfurylpeptides seront également envisagés.

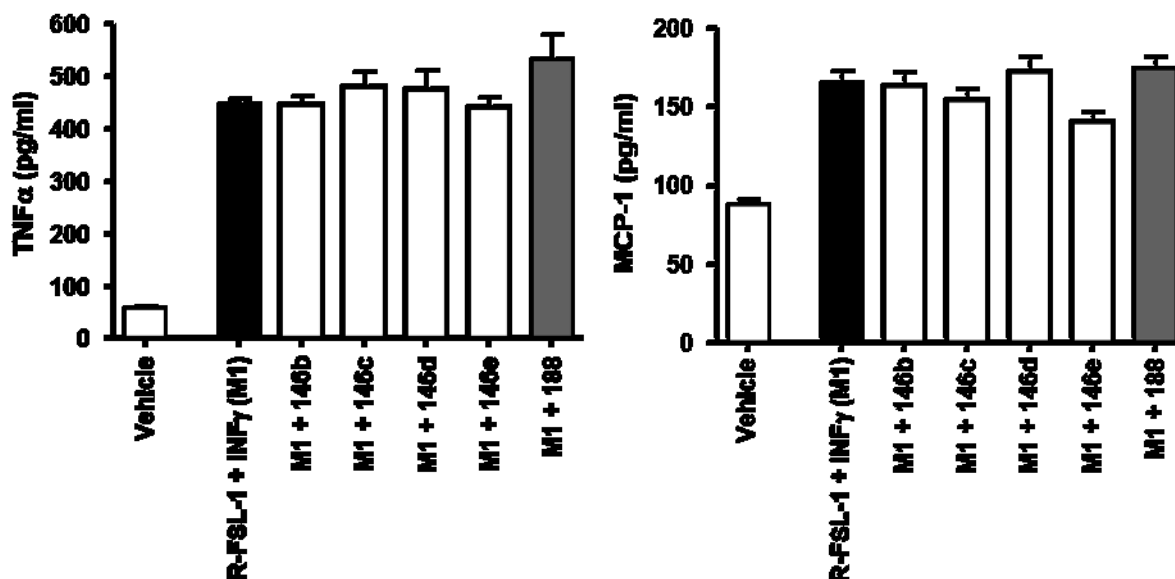


Figure 5.6. Modulation de la sécrétion de TNF α et MCP-1 induite par l'activation du TLR2 avec R-FSL-1 par les azasulfurylpeptides dans des souris déficientes du CD36.

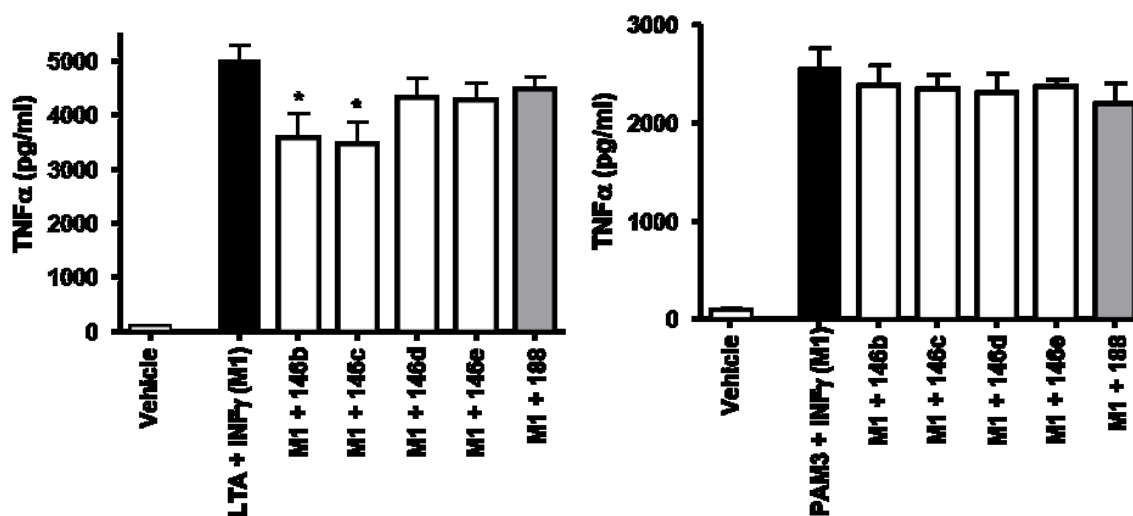


Figure 5.7. Modulation de la sécrétion de TNF α induite par l'activation du TLR2 avec LTA (Dépendant du CD36) ou PAM₃ (Indépendant du CD36) par les azasulfurylpeptides.

Finalement, dans le but d'explorer le mécanisme d'action des azasulfurylpeptides, la synthèse de [Tyr, Ala⁰]-146b (189, figure 5.8) a été réalisée afin de développer un traceur radioactif avec I¹²⁵, sur la tyrosine du peptide.¹⁴⁹ Ce traceur radioactif permettra de monitorer la disposition intracellulaire de l'azasulfurylpeptide, suite à sa liaison au CD36 et de son internalisation dans les macrophages.

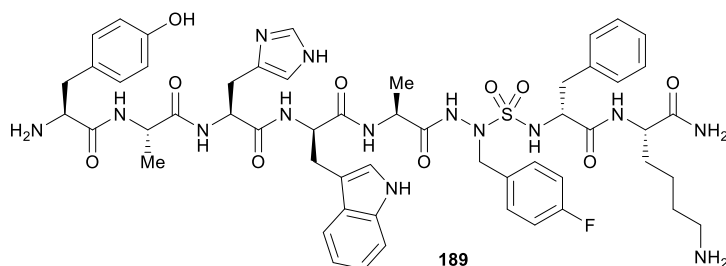


Figure 5.8. Représentation de [Tyr, Ala⁰]-146b (189), servant à explorer l'affinité de 146b envers le CD36.

6.2. Inhibiteurs de métallo- β -lactamases

Les β -lactames [tels les carbapénèmes (190), céphalosporines (191) et pénicillines (192), Figure 5.9] sont grandement utilisés de nos jours dans les antibiotiques contre les infections bactériennes. La fonction principale des β -lactames est d'empêcher la biosynthèse de la paroi bactérienne, appelé peptidoglycane. En effet, les antibiotiques β -lactames inhibent les enzymes transpeptidases responsables de l'insertion de la séquence terminale D-Ala-D-Ala dans le peptidoglycane, causant la mort des bactéries. Cette activité est attribuable au fait que la structure des β -lactames s'apparente à la portion terminale D-alaninyl-D-alanine du peptidoglycane.¹⁵⁰

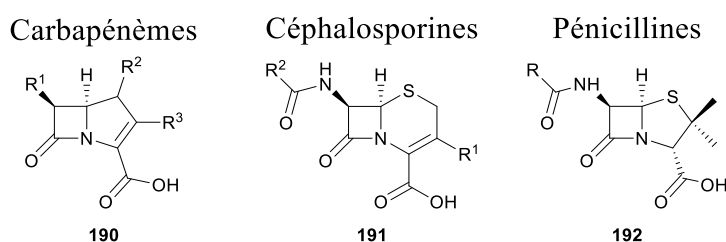


Figure 5.9. Représentation des carbapénèmes (190), des céphalosporines (191) et des pénicillines (192) dans les antibiotiques de types β -lactames.

Toutefois, plusieurs bactéries deviennent de plus en plus résistantes en développant des β -lactamases qui hydrolysent le lien amide des β -lactames. Il existe à ce jour quatre classes de β -lactamases.¹⁵¹ Les classes A, C et D possèdent une sérine nucléophile dans leur site actif pour hydrolyser les β -lactames. La classe B correspond aux métallo- β -lactamases, possédant un atome de zinc dans leur site actif pour hydrolyser les β -lactames. Le *New Delhi Metallo- β -*

lactamase 1 (NDM-1) est un exemple de métallo- β -lactamases de la classe B,^{151, 152} découvert chez un patient suédois d'origine indienne voyageant au New Delhi en 2009 et provenant de la bactérie *Klebsiella pneumoniae*.¹⁵³

Il y a donc un grand intérêt à développer des inhibiteurs de β -lactamases pour contrer la résistance bactérienne. Ainsi, la capacité des azasulfurylpeptides de pouvoir inhiber différents métallo- β -lactamases, soit le NDM-1, ainsi que IMP-1 et le *Verona Integron-encoded Metallo- β -lactamase 2* (VIM-2) a été évaluée en collaboration avec le Professeur James Spencer à l'Université de Bristol.

Tout d'abord, une série de plusieurs azasulfuryltripectides qui ont été synthétisés au courant de ce projet de doctorat a été soumise pour une analyse computationnelle effectuée par Ricky Cain dans le groupe du Pr. Colin Fishwick à l'Université de Leeds en utilisant le logiciel Sprout. Ce logiciel comporte 5 modules, soit : Cangaroo, Hippo, Elefant, Spider et Alligator. Cangaroo identifie un site de liaison potentiel dans le crystal de l'enzyme fournie. Hippo identifie les donneurs et accepteurs de ponts hydrogène, ainsi que les régions hydrophobiques dans le site de liaison trouvé. Elefant permet la sélection de fragments qui pourra s'insérer dans les sites de liaisons. Ces fragments sont ensuite connectés entre eux par des espaceurs déterminés par le module Spider. Finalement, les structures générées subissent des substitutions hétéroatomiques et un pointage arbitraire est généré par le module Alligator pour fournir les meilleurs candidats.¹⁵⁴

Ayant fournis des structures précises pour un site de liaison connu dans le NDM-1, les dix meilleurs composés du résultat de cette analyse par le module Alligator ont donc été synthétisés et testés contre le NDM-1 (Figure 5.10). Malheureusement, aucun de ces composés n'agit comme inhibiteurs du NDM-1.

Par la suite, des analyses préliminaires ont été effectuées par Ramya Salimraj sous la supervision du Pr. James Spencer à l'Université de Bristol sur l'inhibition des azasulfurylpeptides envers IMP-1 et VIM-2. Les azasulfurylpeptides **136** ($K_i = 110 \mu\text{M}$), **112** ($K_i = 300 \mu\text{M}$) et **128** ($K_i = 134 \mu\text{M}$) ont démontré une activité inhibitrice micromolaire envers IMP-1. Ces résultats sont encourageants considérant qu'aucune analyse structure-activité n'a été établie préalablement avec les azasulfurylpeptides. Les azasulfurylpeptides ne sont toutefois

pas actifs envers VIM-2. La reproductibilité de ces résultats et les procédures expérimentales restent cependant à confirmer.

Un problème rencontré dans cette première série est que les azasulfurylpeptides synthétisés ne sont pas solubles dans l'eau. Ainsi, une deuxième série d'azasulfurylpeptides pourrait être présentée en retirant les protections *N*-terminales et *C*-terminales, afin de les rendre plus solubles dans l'eau.

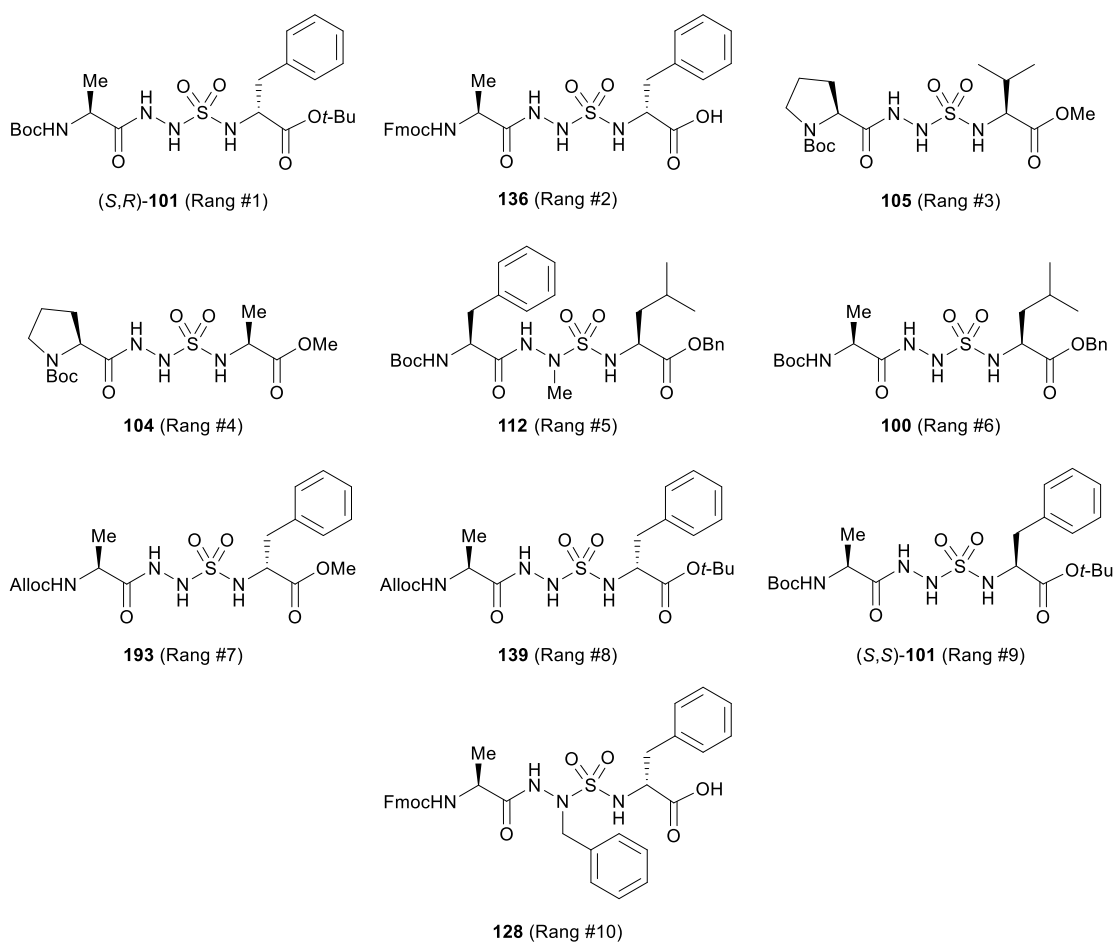


Figure 5.10. Représentation des dix meilleurs azasulfurylpeptides étudiés par analyse computationnelle pouvant se lier au site actif du NDM-1.

6.3. Conclusion

La synthèse des analogues d'azasulfurylpeptides de GHRP-6 utilisés comme ligands du CD36 ont permis d'établir une première relation structure-activité avec CD36 et le TLR2. Deux exemples, soit les azasulfurylpeptides [AsF(4-F)⁴]- (**146b**) et [AsF(4-MeO)⁴]-GHRP-6 (**146c**), ont démontré un potentiel à pouvoir réguler le rôle du TLR2 qui déclenche des réponses inflammatoires et immunitaires innées. De plus, la capacité des *N*-aminosulfamides à agir comme inhibiteurs d'enzymes a été validée par la synthèse d'inhibiteurs micromolaires du métallo- β -lactamase IMP-1. Ces résultats illustrent bien l'intérêt de poursuivre ces études sur les effets de l'utilisation des azasulfurylpeptides sur l'activité biologique de différents ligands et enzymes.

Chapitre 6 : Conclusion

En conclusion, une nouvelle méthodologie pour la synthèse des azasulfurylpeptides en solution a tout d'abord été développée. L'activation de dérivés d'acides aminés avec le chlorosulfate de 4-nitrophénol (**51**) a permis l'obtention de plusieurs sulfamidates de 4-nitrophénol. Ces sulfamidates ont par la suite été couplé à des hydrazides avec l'aide d'irradiation aux micro-ondes afin d'obtenir des azasulfuryltripectides contenant l'analogue de la glycine, l'azasulfurylgyline. Puis, des alkylations chimiosélectives ont été effectuées sur les AsG pour y insérer diverses chaînes latérales.

Grâce à cette nouvelle approche, deux modèles d'azasulfuryltripectides, soit le *N*-(Boc)-Pro-AsG-Val-OMe (**105**) et le *N*-(Cbz)-Ala-AsG-D-Phe-O*t*-Bu (**119**) ont été cristallisés et analysés. Ces modèles ont démontré des angles de torsion similaires à ceux observés pour les azapeptides et les sulfonamides. Également, ces azasulfurylpeptides ont démontré une capacité à induire des tours γ par contrainte électronique. La géométrie tétraédrique de l'atome de soufre valide l'hypothèse que ces composés peuvent mimer les états de transition dans l'hydrolyse des liens amides. Finalement, des liaisons hydrogènes intermoléculaires dans la matrice cristalline de **119** illustrent bien la capacité des azasulfurylpeptides à s'engager dans de telles liaisons.

Afin de promouvoir la synthèse des azasulfurylpeptides de façon combinatoire, une approche sur support solide a également été conçue. Six analogues [azasulfuryl⁴]-GHRP-6 ont été synthétisés par deux approches différentes. En employant des azasulfuryltripectides alkylés avant leur insertion sur support solide, [Ala¹, AsF(4-F)⁴]- et [AsF⁴]-GHRP-6 (**134** et **135**) ont été synthétisés. Puis, par l'emploi des AsG protégés par un groupement Fmoc, des alkylations chimiosélectives ont été réalisés sur résine pour compléter la synthèse des analogues [azasulfuryl⁴]-GHRP-6.

Les analogues de GHRP-6 ont été ensuite analysés pour leur capacité à moduler les effets de la fonction du TLR2 dans le processus de signalisation des réponses inflammatoires. Les azasulfurylpeptides [AsF(4-F)⁴]- et [AsF(4-MeO)⁴]-GHRP-6 ont démontré une capacité à diminuer l'activation de NF- κ B et la sécrétion de TNF α et de MCP-1 par les cytokines proinflammatoires. Ces résultats démontrent donc le potentiel de ces azasulfurylpeptides à pouvoir réguler le rôle du TLR2. Finalement, certains azasulfuryltripectides ont démontré une activité inhibitrice envers IMP-1, un métallo- β -lactamase.

Depuis la méthode initiale de synthèse des azasulfurylpeptides, aucune étude n'avait été initiée pour l'utilisation des azasulfurylpeptides. Le développement des voies de synthèse en solution et sur support solide, présenté dans ce document de thèse, ainsi que leurs utilisations pour l'obtention de nouvelles familles de mimes peptidiques devraient permettre un nouvel essor de la recherche en chimie médicinale.

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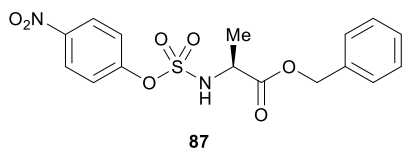
Annexe 1 : Partie expérimentale du chapitre 2

General Methods

Unless specified otherwise, 4-nitrophenyl chlorosulfate **51**,⁹⁰ as well as *N*-(Boc)-L-alanine, L-phenylalanine and L-proline hydrazides **93-95**,¹⁵⁵ all were synthesized according to literature methods. L-Alanine and L-valine methyl ester hydrochlorides, **83** and **86**, were respectively synthesized from their corresponding amino acids using methanol (MeOH) and thionyl chloride.¹⁵⁶ L-Alanine and L-leucine benzyl esters, **82** and **84**, were synthesized from their corresponding amino acids using benzyl alcohol and *p*-toluenesulfonic acid in toluene¹⁵⁷ and free-based by partitioning between 1M aq. Na₂CO₃ and chloroform. Benzyl carbazate **92**, *tert*-butyl carbazate **81**, iodomethane, 4-nitrophenol, D- and L-phenylalanine *tert*-butyl esters [(*R*)- and (*S*)-**85**], propargyl bromide (80 wt.% in toluene) and triethylamine, all were purchased from Aldrich and used as received. Allyl and benzyl bromides were purchased from Aldrich and filtered through a small plug of silica gel prior to use. 1,2-Dichloroethane (DCE) was purchased from Anachemia and fractionally distilled prior to use. Phosphazene base, *tert*-butylimino-tri(pyrrolidino)phosphorane (BTPP) was purchased from Fluka and used as received. Anhydrous solvents [tetrahydrofuran (THF) and dichloromethane (DCM)] were obtained by passage through a solvent filtration system (GlassContour, Irvine, CA). Microwave irradiation was accomplished on a 300 MW Biotage apparatus on the high absorption level; temperature was monitored automatically. Flash chromatography¹⁵⁸ was performed on 230–400 mesh silica gel, and thin-layer chromatography was performed on silica gel 60 F254 plates from Merck™. Melting points were made on a Gallenkamp apparatus and are uncorrected. Specific rotations, $[\alpha]_D$ values, were calculated from optical rotations measured at 20 °C in CHCl₃ or THF at the specified concentrations (*c* in g/100 mL) using a 1-dm cell (*l*) on a PerkinElmer Polarimeter 341, using the general formula: $[\alpha]^{20}_D = (100 \times \alpha)/(l \times c)$. Accurate mass measurements were performed on a LC-MSD instrument from Agilent technologies in positive electrospray ionisation (ESI) mode at the Université de Montréal Mass Spectrometry facility. Sodium adducts $[M + Na]^+$ were used for empirical formula confirmation. ¹H NMR spectra were measured in CDCl₃ (7.26 ppm), CD₃OD (3.34 ppm) or DMSO-*d*₆ (2.54 ppm). ¹³C NMR spectra were measured in CDCl₃ (77.36 ppm) or DMSO-*d*₆ (40.45 ppm). Coupling constant *J* values are measured in Hertz (Hz) and chemical shift values in parts per million (ppm). Infrared spectra

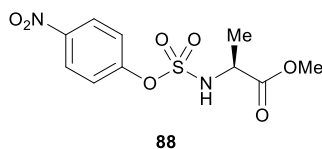
were recorded in the neat on an ATR Bruker apparatus or in a KBr pellet using a FT-IR Perkin Elmer apparatus.

4-Nitrophenyl L-alanine benzyl ester sulfamidate **87**



A solution of L-alanine benzyl ester (1.29 g, 3.50 mmol), 4-nitrophenol (0.97 g, 7.00 mmol) and NEt_3 (2.91 mL, 21.0 mmol) in dry DCM (25 mL) was added drop-wise to a solution of 4-nitrophenyl chlorosulfate (1.66 g, 7.00 mmol) in dry DCM (5 mL) at -78°C under argon. After stirring at -78°C for 1.5 h, the mixture was allowed to warm to room temperature. The volatiles were evaporated to a residue, which was purified by flash chromatography eluting with a solution of MeOH:DCM 1:99. The collected fractions were noticeably contaminated with 4-nitrophenol, and evaporated to a residue, which was dissolved in DCM (100 mL), washed with sat. NaHCO_3 (3 x 50 mL), dried over MgSO_4 , filtered and evaporated. The resulting oil was dissolved in DCM and precipitated using hexane to afford sulfamidate **87** as a solid (0.500 g, 38%); R_f 0.72 (MeOH:DCM 1:99); mp 76°C ; $[\alpha]_D^{20}$ 26.0° (CHCl_3 , c 1.04); ^1H NMR (CDCl_3 , 400 MHz) δ 1.53 (3H, d, $J = 7.2$), 4.33 (1H, q, $J = 7.1$), 5.19 (1H, d, $J = 12.0$), 5.25 (1H, d, $J = 12.1$), 5.70-5.80 (1H, br), 7.30-7.40 (7H, m), 8.19 (2H d, $J = 9.2$); ^{13}C NMR (CDCl_3 , 100 MHz) δ 19.7, 53.2, 68.4, 122.7, 125.8, 128.8, 129.1, 129.2, 135.0, 146.3, 154.6, 171.8; IR (neat) $\nu_{\text{max}}/\text{cm}^{-1}$ 1149, 1171, 1211, 1350, 1530, 1727, 3229; HRMS m/z calculated for $\text{C}_{16}\text{H}_{16}\text{N}_2\text{NaO}_7\text{S}$ $[\text{M}+\text{Na}]^+$ 403.0570; found 403.0576.

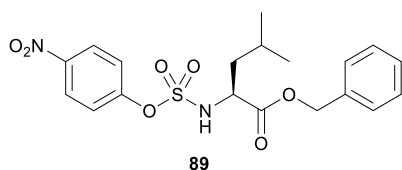
4-Nitrophenyl L-alanine methyl ester sulfamidate **88**



Employing the protocol for the synthesis of sulfamidate **87**, L-alanine methyl ester hydrochloride (0.558 g, 4.00 mmol) was transformed to sulfamidate **88**, which was isolated as a solid (0.389 g, 32%) contaminated with 5% of 4-nitrophenol, and used without further

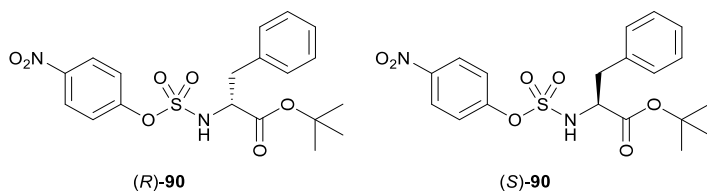
purification: R_f 0.55 (MeOH:DCM 1:99); mp 62 °C; $[\alpha]^{20}_D$ 17.1° (CHCl₃, c 1.22); ¹H NMR (CDCl₃, 400 MHz) δ 1.51 (3H, d, J = 7.2), 3.79 (3H, s), 4.29 (1H, q, J = 7.2), 5.90-6.10 (1H, br), 7.43 (2H, d, J = 9.1), 8.24 (2H, d, J = 9.1); ¹³C NMR (CDCl₃, 100 MHz) δ 19.6, 53.0, 53.5, 122.7, 125.8, 146.2, 154.7, 172.5; IR (neat) $\nu_{\max}/\text{cm}^{-1}$ 1149, 1172, 1227, 1343, 1519, 1731, 3220; HRMS m/z calculated for C₁₀H₁₂N₂NaO₇S [M+Na]⁺ 327.0257; found 327.0257.

4-Nitrophenyl L-leucine benzyl ester sulfamidate **89**



Employing the protocol for the synthesis of sulfamidate **87**, L-leucine benzyl ester (1.11 g, 5.00 mmol) was transformed to sulfamidate **89**, which was isolated as a solid (1.327 g, 63%): R_f 0.56 (MeOH:DCM 1:99); mp 59 °C; $[\alpha]^{20}_D$ 27.4° (CHCl₃, c 0.98); ¹H NMR (CDCl₃, 400 MHz) δ 0.96 (3H, d, J = 6.3), 0.98 (3H, d, J = 5.6), 1.60-1.70 (2H, m), 1.80-1.90 (1H, m), 4.25-4.35 (1H, m), 5.18 (1H, d, J = 12.0), 5.28 (1H, d, J = 12.0), 5.72 (1H, s), 7.31 (2H, d, J = 9.2), 7.35-7.40 (5H, m), 8.20 (2H, d, J = 9.2); ¹³C NMR (CDCl₃, 100 MHz) δ 21.9, 22.9, 24.7, 42.4, 56.1, 68.2, 122.5, 125.8, 128.9, 129.1, 129.2, 135.0, 146.2, 154.7, 172.2; IR (neat) $\nu_{\max}/\text{cm}^{-1}$ 1141, 1188, 1209, 1352, 1519, 1736, 3271; HRMS m/z calculated for C₁₉H₂₂N₂NaO₇S [M+Na]⁺ 445.1040; found 445.1048.

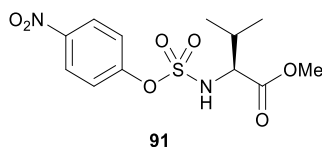
4-Nitrophenyl D-phenylalanine *tert*-butyl ester sulfamidate (*R*)-**90**



Employing the protocol for the synthesis of sulfamidate **87**, D-phenylalanine *tert*-butyl ester hydrochloride (1.29 g, 5.00 mmol) was transformed to sulfamidate (*R*)-**90**, which did not precipitate and was isolated as an oil (1.564 g, 72%): R_f 0.74 (MeOH:DCM 1:99); $[\alpha]^{20}_D$ -28.2° (CHCl₃, c 1.02); ¹H NMR (CDCl₃, 400 MHz) δ 1.42 (9H, s), 3.08 (1H, dd, J = 6.4, 14.0), 3.13 (1H, dd, J = 6.2, 14.0), 4.36 (1H, t, J = 6.3), 5.75 (1H, s), 7.19 (2H, d, J = 9.4), 7.25-7.35 (5H,

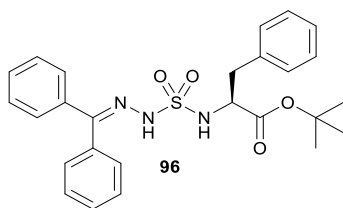
m), 8.18 (2H, d, $J = 9.3$); ^{13}C NMR (CDCl_3 , 100 MHz) δ 28.2, 39.2, 58.7, 84.1, 122.7, 125.8, 127.8, 129.0, 129.9, 135.2, 146.2, 154.7, 169.9; IR (KBr) $\nu_{\text{max}}/\text{cm}^{-1}$ 1153, 1177, 1208, 1349, 1530, 1732, 3269; HRMS (ESI) m/z calculated for $\text{C}_{19}\text{H}_{22}\text{N}_2\text{NaO}_7\text{S}$ $[\text{M}+\text{Na}]^+$ 445.1040; found 445.1044. **4-Nitrophenyl L-phenylalanine *tert*-butyl ester sulfamidate (*S*)-90** was prepared in an identical manner from L-phenylalanine *tert*-butyl ester (0.64 g, 2.50 mmol) using the protocol described for (*R*)-**90** and isolated as an oil (0.764 g, 72%): $[\alpha]_{\text{D}}^{20}$ 28.4° (c 0.98); HRMS (ESI) m/z calculated for $\text{C}_{19}\text{H}_{22}\text{N}_2\text{NaO}_7\text{S}$ $[\text{M}+\text{Na}]^+$ 445.1040; found 445.1059.

4-Nitrophenyl L-valine methyl ester sulfamidate **91**



Employing the protocol for the synthesis of sulfamidate **87**, L-valine methyl ester hydrochloride (0.50 g, 3.00 mmol) was transformed to sulfamidate **91**, which was isolated as a solid (0.635 g, 64%), which was recrystallized from EtOAc on diffusion of hexane vapors: R_f 0.61 (MeOH:DCM 1:99); mp 73 °C; $[\alpha]_{\text{D}}^{20}$ 35.3° (CHCl_3 , c 1.03); ^1H NMR (CDCl_3 , 400 MHz) δ 0.94 (3H, d, $J = 6.8$), 1.04 (3H, d, $J = 6.8$), 2.17 (1H, dsept, $J = 4.8, 6.8$), 3.81 (3H, s), 4.10 (1H, dd, $J = 4.8, 9.2$), 5.49 (1H, d, $J = 9.2$), 7.43 (2H, d, $J = 9.3$), 8.28 (2H, d, $J = 9.3$); ^{13}C NMR (CDCl_3 , 100 MHz) δ 17.6, 19.1, 32.0, 53.2, 62.6, 122.6, 125.9, 146.3, 154.8, 171.8; IR (KBr) $\nu_{\text{max}}/\text{cm}^{-1}$ 1145, 1161, 1216, 1353, 1521, 1710, 3209; HRMS m/z calculated for $\text{C}_{12}\text{H}_{16}\text{N}_2\text{NaO}_7\text{S}$ $[\text{M}+\text{Na}]^+$ 355.0570; found 355.0577.

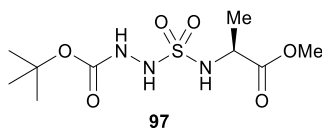
N-(Benzhydrylidene)-azasulfurylglycyl-L-phenylalanine *tert*-butyl ester **96**



Benzophenone hydrazone (51 mg, 0.26 mmol) was added to a microwave vessel containing a solution of sulfamidate (*S*)-**90** (100 mg, 0.24 mmol) in DCE (1 mL). The mixture was treated with NEt_3 (36.1 μL , 0.26 mmol), at which point the solution turned yellow. The

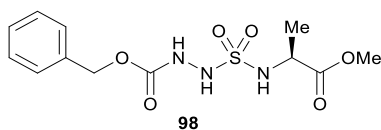
vessel was sealed and heated to 60 °C using microwave irradiation for 2.5 h. The volatiles were evaporated. The residue was purified by flash chromatography eluting with a solution of MeOH:DCM 1:99 to afford azasulfurylglycynyl dipeptide **96** as a solid (90 mg; 80%): R_f 0.48 (hexane:EtOAc:TFA 85:5:10); mp 50 °C; $[\alpha]^{20}_D$ 28.2° (CHCl₃, c 1.00); ¹H NMR (CDCl₃, 300 MHz) δ 1.26 (9H, m), 3.13 (2H, d, J = 5.9), 4.44 (1H, dt, J = 5.9, 7.9), 5.41 (1H, d, J = 7.9), 7.20-7.40 (10H, m), 7.45-7.60 (6H, m); ¹³C NMR (CDCl₃, 75 MHz) δ 28.1, 39.9, 58.1, 83.4, 127.5, 128.0, 128.55, 128.59, 128.62, 128.71, 130.14, 130.16, 130.4, 131.5, 135.7, 136.7, 153.9, 170.3; IR (KBr) $\nu_{\max}/\text{cm}^{-1}$ 1151, 1256, 1320, 1368, 1393, 1445, 1728, 3273; HRMS m/z calculated for C₂₆H₂₉N₃NaO₄S [M+Na]⁺ 502.1771; found 502.1769.

N*-(Boc)-azasulfurylglycynyl-L-alanine methyl ester **97*



Employing the procedure described for azasulfuryl dipeptide **96**, *tert*-butyl carbazate (73 mg, 0.55 mmol) was reacted with sulfamidate **88** (152 mg, 0.50 mmol). The residue was purified by flash chromatography eluting with a 58:40:2 mixture of hexane:EtOAc:NEt₃ to afford azasulfurylglycynyl dipeptide **97** as a solid (131 mg, 88%): R_f 0.61 (hexane:EtOAc 1:1); mp 123 °C; $[\alpha]^{20}_D$ 21.5° (CHCl₃, c 1.01); ¹H NMR (CDCl₃, 400 MHz) δ 1.35-1.45 (12H, m), 3.74 (3H, s), 4.15-4.25 (1H, m), 5.70-5.80 (1H, br), 5.80-5.90 (1H, br), 5.90-6.00 (1H, br); ¹³C NMR (CDCl₃, 100 MHz) δ 19.6, 28.4, 52.2, 53.1, 82.6, 155.6, 173.9; IR (KBr) $\nu_{\max}/\text{cm}^{-1}$ 1163, 1206, 1343, 1370, 1447, 1727, 1746, 3347; HRMS m/z calculated for C₉H₁₉N₃NaO₆S [M+Na]⁺ 320.0887; found 320.0903.

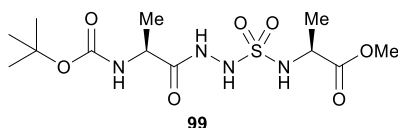
N*-(Cbz)-azasulfurylglycynyl-L-alanine methyl ester **98*



Employing the procedure described for azasulfuryl dipeptide **96**, benzyl carbazate (91 mg, 0.55 mmol) was reacted with sulfamidate **88** (152 mg, 0.50 mmol). The residue was purified by flash chromatography eluting with a 58:40:2 mixture of hexane:EtOAc:NEt₃ to

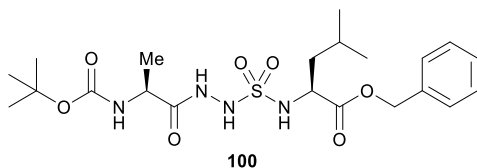
afford azasulfurylglycinyl dipeptide **98** as an oil (135 mg, 81%): R_f 0.47 (hexane:EtOAc 1:1); $[\alpha]_D^{20}$ 27.0° (CHCl₃, c 0.68); ¹H NMR (CDCl₃, 400 MHz) δ 1.38 (3H, d, J = 7.2), 3.71 (3H, s), 4.15-4.25 (1H, m), 5.11 (1H, d, J = 12.4), 5.13 (1H, d, J = 12.4), 7.25-7.40 (5H, m) ¹³C NMR (CDCl₃, 100 MHz) δ 19.3, 52.3, 53.1, 68.3, 128.5, 128.7, 128.8, 135.6, 156.6, 174.1; IR (KBr) $\nu_{\max}/\text{cm}^{-1}$ 1167, 1216, 1267, 1350, 1455, 1515, 1732, 3286; HRMS m/z calculated for C₁₂H₁₇N₃NaO₆S [M+Na]⁺ 354.0730; found 354.0741.

N*-(Boc)-L-alaninyl-azasulfurylglycinyl-L-alanine methyl ester **99*



Employing the procedure described for azasulfuryl dipeptide **96**, *N*-(Boc)-L-alanine hydrazide (112 mg, 0.55 mmol) was reacted with sulfamidate **88** (152 mg, 0.50 mmol). The residue was purified by flash chromatography eluting initially with a 45:53:2 mixture of hexanes:EtOAc:NEt₃ (100 mL), followed by 2:3 hexanes:EtOAc. Evaporation of the collected fractions afforded azasulfurylglycinyl tripeptide **99** as a solid (155 mg; 84%): R_f 0.38 (hexanes:EtOAc 2:3); mp 52 °C; $[\alpha]_D^{20}$ -8.4° (CHCl₃, c 0.97); ¹H NMR (CDCl₃, 400 MHz) δ 1.37 (3H, d, J = 7.0), 1.40-1.45 (12H, m), 3.76 (3H, s), 4.10-4.20 (1H, m), 4.20-4.30 (1H, m), 5.30-5.35 (1H, br), 6.01 (1H, d, J = 7.6), 7.35-7.40 (1H, br), 8.90-9.00 (1H, br); ¹³C NMR (CDCl₃, 100 MHz) δ 18.0, 19.5, 28.6, 49.1, 52.3, 53.2, 81.0, 156.1, 173.0, 174.0; IR (neat) $\nu_{\max}/\text{cm}^{-1}$ 1143, 1163, 1247, 1351, 1450, 1507, 1678, 3243; HRMS m/z calculated for C₁₂H₂₄N₄NaO₇S [M+Na]⁺ 391.1258; found 391.1242.

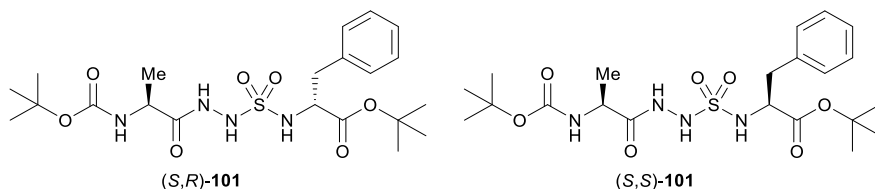
N*-(Boc)-L-alaninyl-azasulfurylglycinyl-L-leucine benzyl ester **100*



Employing the procedure described for azasulfuryl dipeptide **96**, *N*-(Boc)-L-alanine hydrazide (112 mg, 0.55 mmol) was reacted with sulfamidate **88** (211 mg, 0.50 mmol). The residue was purified by flash chromatography eluting initially with a 55:43:2 mixture of

hexane:EtOAc:NEt₃ (100 mL), followed by 3:2 hexane:EtOAc. Evaporation of the collected fractions gave azasulfurylglycinyl tripeptide **100** as a solid (203 mg, 84%): *R_f* 0.61 (hexane:EtOAc:NEt₃ 45:53:2); mp 54 °C; [α]²⁰_D 17.0° (CHCl₃, *c* 0.98); ¹H NMR (CDCl₃, 400 MHz) δ 0.90 (3H, d, *J* = 6.6), 0.91 (3H, d, *J* = 6.5), 1.36 (3H, d, *J* = 7.0), 1.45 (9H, s), 1.50-1.65 (2H, m), 1.70-1.85 (1H, m), 4.15 (1H, dd, *J* = 5.8, 8.6), 4.20-4.30 (1H, m), 5.19 (2H, s), 5.20-5.30 (1H, br), 7.30-7.40 (5H, m); ¹³C NMR (CDCl₃, 100 MHz) δ 17.7, 22.0, 22.9, 24.7, 28.7, 42.0, 49.1, 55.4, 68.0, 80.9, 128.7, 128.89, 128.96, 135.3, 156.1, 172.6, 174.0; IR (neat) $\nu_{\text{max}}/\text{cm}^{-1}$ 1144, 1164, 1246, 1351, 1455, 1499, 1681, 3262; HRMS *m/z* calculated for C₂₁H₃₄N₄NaO₇S [M+Na]⁺ 509.2040; found 509.2024.

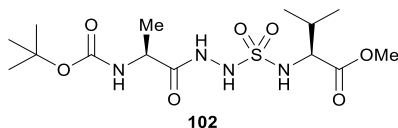
***N*-(Boc)-L-alaninyl-azasulfurylglycinyl-D-phenylalanine *tert*-butyl ester (*S,R*)-101**



Employing the protocol described for azasulfuryl dipeptide **96**, *N*-(Boc)-L-alanine hydrazide (112 mg, 0.55 mmol) was reacted with sulfamidate (*R*)-**90** (211 mg, 0.50 mmol). The residue was purified by flash chromatography eluting initially with a 58:40:2 mixture of hexane:EtOAc:NEt₃ (100 mL), followed by 3:2 hexane:EtOAc. Evaporation of the collected fractions gave azasulfurylglycinyl tripeptide (*S,R*)-**101** as a solid (194 mg, 80%, 49:1 d.r.): *R_f* 0.34 (hexane:EtOAc 3:2); mp 70 °C; [α]²⁰_D −68.1° (CHCl₃, *c* 1.02); ¹H NMR (CD₃OD, 400 MHz) δ 1.32 (9H, s), 1.37 (3H, d, *J* = 7.2), 1.48 (9H, s), 2.89 (1H, dd, *J* = 9.1, 13.3), 3.10 (1H, dd, *J* = 5.4, 13.1), 4.10-4.20 (1H, m), 4.27 (1H, q, *J* = 5.5), 7.20-7.35 (5H, m), 7.93 (1H, s); ¹³C NMR (CDCl₃, 100 MHz) δ 17.9, 28.2, 28.6, 39.1, 49.1, 57.6, 81.0, 83.4, 127.4, 128.7, 130.1, 135.9, 156.0, 171.1, 172.7; IR (KBr) $\nu_{\text{max}}/\text{cm}^{-1}$ 1152, 1249, 1365, 1454, 1498, 1679, 3231; HRMS (ESI) *m/z* calculated for C₂₁H₃₄N₄NaO₇S [M+Na]⁺ 509.2040; found 509.2029. *N*-(Boc)-L-alaninyl-azasulfurylglycinyl-L-phenylalanine *tert*-butyl ester (*S,S*)-**101** was prepared in an identical manner from sulfamidate (*S*)-**90** (211 mg, 0.50 mmol) using the protocol described for (*S,R*)-**101** and isolated as a solid (0.190 g, 78%, 23:2 d.r.): *R_f* 0.34 (hexane:EtOAc 3:2); mp 70 °C; [α]²⁰_D 16.8° (CHCl₃, *c* 1.08); ¹H NMR (CD₃OD, 400 MHz) δ 1.32 (9H, s), 1.35 (3H, d, *J* = 7.2), 1.42 (9H, s), 2.86 (1H, dd, *J* = 9.2, 12.9), 3.09 (1H, dd, *J* = 5.6, 13.3), 4.05-

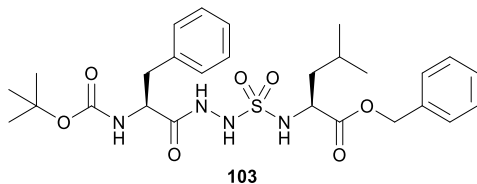
4.15 (1H, m), 4.30 (1H, q, 5.6), 7.20-7.35 (5H, m), 7.92 (1H, s); ^{13}C NMR (CDCl_3 , 100 MHz) δ 18.1, 28.2, 28.6, 39.1, 49.0, 57.6, 80.8, 83.4, 127.4, 128.7, 130.1, 135.9, 155.9, 171.2, 172.7; IR (KBr) $\nu_{\text{max}}/\text{cm}^{-1}$ 1152, 1250, 1366, 1454, 1498, 1682, 3231; HRMS (ESI) m/z calculated for $\text{C}_{21}\text{H}_{34}\text{N}_4\text{NaO}_7\text{S}$ $[\text{M}+\text{Na}]^+$ 509.2040; found 509.2024.

***N*-(Boc)-L-alaninyl-azasulfurylglyciny-L-valine methyl ester 102**



Employing the procedure described for azasulfuryl dipeptide **96**, *N*-(Boc)-L-alanine hydrazide (67 mg; 0.33 mmol) was reacted with sulfamidate **91** (100 mg; 0.30 mmol). The residue was purified by flash chromatography eluting with a 45:50:5 mixture of hexane:EtOAc: NEt_3 to afford azasulfurylglyciny tripeptide **102** as a solid (109 mg; 92%): R_f 0.19 (hexane:EtOAc: NEt_3 55:40:5); mp 44 °C; $[\alpha]^{20}_{\text{D}}$ 21.0° (CHCl_3 , c 0.83); ^1H NMR (CDCl_3 , 400 MHz) δ 0.90 (3H, d, J = 6.9), 1.02 (3H, d, J = 6.8), 1.39 (3H, d, J = 7.1), 1.46 (9H, s), 2.15-2.25 (1H, m), 3.79 (3H, s), 3.95-4.00 (1H, m), 4.15-4.25 (1H, m), 4.97 (1H, d, J = 7.4), 5.57 (1H, d, J = 8.9), 6.90-7.00 (1H, br), 8.50-8.60 (1H, br); ^{13}C NMR (CDCl_3 , 100 MHz) δ 17.6, 17.7, 19.1, 28.6, 31.7, 49.1, 53.0, 61.8, 80.9, 156.1, 172.6, 173.4; IR (KBr) $\nu_{\text{max}}/\text{cm}^{-1}$ 1149, 1169, 1266, 1367, 1453, 1520, 1693, 3291; HRMS m/z calculated for $\text{C}_{14}\text{H}_{28}\text{N}_4\text{NaO}_7\text{S}$ $[\text{M}+\text{Na}]^+$ 419.1571; found 419.1586.

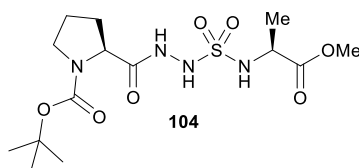
***N*-(Boc)-L-phenylalaninyl-azasulfurylglyciny-L-leucine benzyl ester 103**



Employing the procedure described for azasulfuryl dipeptide **96**, *N*-(Boc)-L-phenylalanine hydrazide (154 mg, 0.55 mmol) was reacted with sulfamidate **89** (211 mg, 0.50 mmol). The residue was purified by flash chromatography eluting initially with a 60:38:2 mixture of hexane:EtOAc: NEt_3 (100 mL), followed by 13:7 hexane:EtOAc. Evaporation of the collected fractions afforded azasulfurylglyciny tripeptide **103** as a solid (233 mg; 83%): R_f 0.28

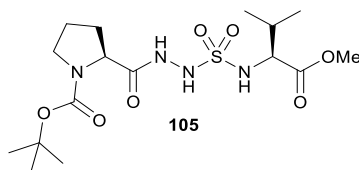
(hexane:EtOAc 13:7); mp 57 °C; $[\alpha]_D^{20}$ 38.1° (CHCl₃, *c* 1.03); ¹H NMR (CDCl₃, 400 MHz) δ 0.93 (6H, d, *J* = 6.6), 1.40 (9H, s), 1.50-1.70 (2H, m), 1.70-1.85 (1H, m), 2.95-3.10 (1H, m), 3.10-3.20 (1H, m), 4.10-4.20 (1H, m), 4.40-4.50 (1H, m), 5.19 (2H, s), 5.30-5.40 (1H, br), 7.20-7.45 (10H, m); ¹³C NMR (CDCl₃, 100 MHz) δ 22.0, 22.9, 24.7, 28.6, 38.0, 41.8, 54.8, 55.3, 67.9, 80.9, 127.3, 128.67, 128.85, 128.93, 128.95, 129.7, 135.3, 136.6, 156.1, 171.4, 174.1; IR (neat) $\nu_{\max}/\text{cm}^{-1}$ 1144, 1162, 1269, 1366, 1454, 1497, 1677, 3229; HRMS *m/z* calculated for C₂₇H₃₈N₄NaO₇S [M+Na]⁺ 585.2353; found 585.2354.

***N*-(Boc)-L-prolyl-azasulfurylglycyl-L-alanine methyl ester 104**



Employing the procedure described for azasulfuryl dipeptide **96**, *N*-(Boc)-L-proline hydrazide (126 mg, 0.55 mmol) was reacted with sulfamidate **88** (152 mg, 0.50 mmol). The residue was purified by flash chromatography eluting initially with a 45:53:2 mixture of hexane:EtOAc:NEt₃ followed by 2:3 hexane:EtOAc to afford azasulfurylglycyl tripeptide **104** as a solid (162 mg, 82%); *R*_f 0.26 (hexane:EtOAc 2:3); mp 60 °C; $[\alpha]_D^{20}$ -47.4° (CHCl₃, *c* 1.03); ¹H NMR (CDCl₃, 400 MHz) δ 1.35-1.50 (12H, m), 1.80-2.10 (3H, m), 2.10-2.25 (1H, m), 3.30-3.55 (2H, m), 3.76 (3H, s), 4.10-4.20 (1H, m), 4.20-4.30 (1H, m), 5.75-5.85 (1H, br), 7.10-7.25 (1H, br), 8.90-9.00 (1H, br); ¹³C NMR (CDCl₃, 75 MHz) δ 19.7, 24.9, 28.7, 28.9, 47.5, 52.4, 53.2, 58.9, 81.3, 155.9, 172.3, 173.9; IR (neat) $\nu_{\max}/\text{cm}^{-1}$ 1133, 1163, 1287, 1365, 1511, 1670, 1735, 3247; HRMS *m/z* calculated for C₁₄H₂₆N₄NaO₇S [M+Na]⁺ 417.1414; found 417.1404.

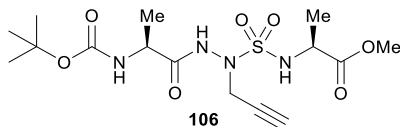
***N*-(Boc)-L-prolyl-azasulfurylglycyl-L-valine methyl ester 105**



Employing the procedure described for azasulfuryl dipeptide **96**, Boc-L-proline hydrazide (76 mg, 0.33 mmol) was reacted with sulfamidate **91** (100 mg, 0.30 mmol). The residue was purified by flash chromatography eluting with a 45:50:5 mixture of

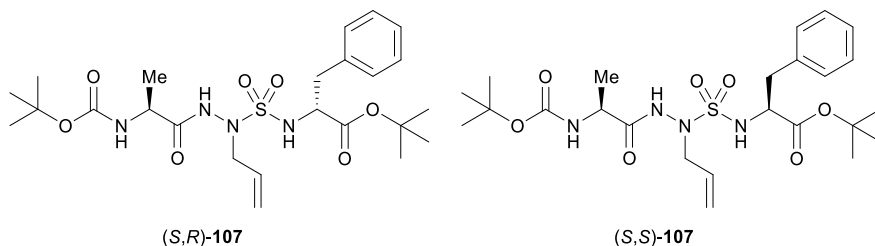
hexane:EtOAc:NEt₃ to afford azasulfurylglycinyl tripeptide **105** as a solid (115 mg, 91%): *R_f* 0.44 (hexane:EtOAc:NEt₃ 45:50:5); mp 57 °C; [α]_D²⁰ -13.7° (CHCl₃, *c* 1.05); ¹H NMR (CDCl₃, 300 MHz) δ 0.88 (3H, d, *J* = 6.9), 0.98 (3H, d, *J* = 6.8), 1.45 (9H, s), 1.80-1.90 (1H, m), 1.90-2.10 (2H, m), 2.20-2.30 (2H, m), 3.45-3.55 (2H, m), 3.76 (3H, s), 3.95 (1H, dd, *J* = 4.2, 9.1), 4.20-4.30 (1H, m), 5.80-5.90 (1H, br), 7.15-7.25 (1H, br), 8.90-9.00 (1H, br); ¹³C NMR (CDCl₃, 75 MHz) δ 17.7, 19.0, 19.5, 24.8, 28.7, 31.7, 47.4, 52.9, 58.8, 61.7, 81.1, 155.9, 172.0, 173.2; IR (KBr) ν_{max} /cm⁻¹ 1136, 1169, 1256, 1368, 1449, 1541, 1660, 1677, 1738, 3227; HRMS *m/z* calculated for C₁₆H₃₀N₄NaO₇S [M+Na]⁺ 445.1727; found 445.1742.

N-(Boc)-L-alaninyl-azapropargylsulfurylglycinyl-L-alanine methyl ester **106**



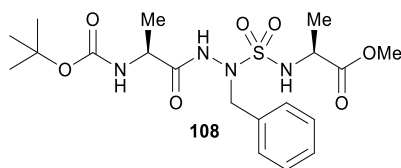
A solution of azasulfurylglycinyl tripeptide **99** (50 mg, 0.136 mmol) in dry THF (2.5 mL) at 0 °C was treated with BTPP (45.6 μ L, 0.149 mmol), stirred for 0.5 h, treated with propargyl bromide (80 wt% in PhMe, 22.2 μ L, 0.149 mmol), and stirred at 0 °C for 3 h. The volatiles were evaporated. The residue was purified by flash chromatography eluting with 3:2 hexane:EtOAc to afford aza-propargylsulfurylglycinyl tripeptide **106** as a solid (40 mg, 73%): *R_f* 0.59 (hexane:EtOAc 2:3); mp 52 °C; [α]_D²⁰ -16.4° (CHCl₃, *c* 0.97); ¹H NMR (DMSO-d₆, 500 MHz) δ 1.23 (3H, d, *J* = 7.1), 1.27 (3H, d, *J* = 7.0), 1.41 (9H, s), 3.31 (1H, t, *J* = 2.4), 3.68 (3H, s), 4.00-4.15 (4H, m), 6.97 (1H, d, *J* = 7.6), 8.25 (1H, d, *J* = 7.6), 9.90 (1H, s); ¹³C NMR (DMSO-d₆, 125 MHz) δ 18.7, 19.1, 29.1, 40.7, 41.3, 49.3, 52.2, 52.9, 77.0, 79.0, 155.9, 173.1, 173.9; IR (neat) ν_{max} /cm⁻¹ 1144, 1164, 1255, 1354, 1451, 1508, 1685, 3278; HRMS *m/z* calculated for C₁₅H₂₆N₄NaO₇S [M+Na]⁺ 429.1414; found 429.1419.

***N*-(Boc)-L-alaninyl-aza-allylsulfurylglycinyl-D-phenylalanine *tert*-butyl ester (*S,R*)-107**



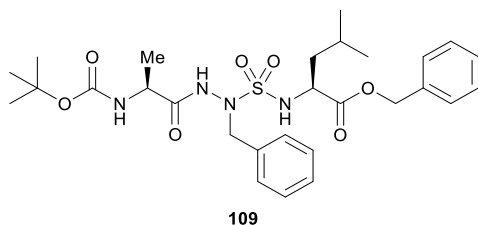
Employing the protocol described for aza-propargylsulfurylglycinyl tripeptide **106**, allyl bromide (19.0 μ L, 0.22 mmol) was reacted with azasulfurylglycinyl tripeptide (*S,R*)-**101** (97 mg, 0.20 mmol). The residue was purified by flash chromatography eluting with 7:3 hexane:EtOAc to afford aza-allylsulfurylglycinyl tripeptide (*S,R*)-**107** as a solid (75 mg, 71%, 97:3 d.r.): R_f 0.54 (hexane:EtOAc 3:2); mp 55 $^{\circ}$ C; $[\alpha]_D^{20}$ -12.7° (THF, c 0.61); ^1H NMR (CD_3OD , 400 MHz) δ 1.33 (3H, d, $J = 7.1$), 1.36 (9H, s), 1.47 (9H, s), 2.95 (1H, dd, $J = 7.9, 12.8$), 3.08 (1H, dd, $J = 5.9, 13.4$), 3.80-3.95 (2H, m), 4.10 (1H, q, $J = 7.2$), 4.32 (1H, q, $J = 6.2$), 5.20 (1H, d, $J = 10.1$), 5.28 (1H, d, $J = 17.1$), 5.80-5.90 (1H, m), 7.20-7.35 (5H, m); ^{13}C NMR (CDCl_3 , 100 MHz) δ 17.8, 28.3, 28.6, 38.9, 49.3, 54.9, 57.5, 81.1, 83.3, 121.2, 127.3, 128.6, 130.3, 131.4, 136.1, 156.0, 170.4, 172.0; IR (KBr) $\nu_{\text{max}}/\text{cm}^{-1}$ 1152, 1248, 1365, 1454, 1497, 1686, 3281; HRMS (ESI) m/z calculated for $\text{C}_{24}\text{H}_{38}\text{N}_4\text{NaO}_7\text{S}$ $[\text{M}+\text{Na}]^+$ 549.2353; found 549.2367. ***N*-(Boc)-L-alaninyl-aza-allylsulfurylglycinyl-L-phenylalanine *tert*-butyl ester (*S,S*)-107** was prepared in an identical manner from azasulfurylglycinyl tripeptide (*S,S*)-**101** (97 mg, 0.20 mmol) using the protocol described for (*S,R*)-**107** and isolated as a solid (88 mg, 84%, 89:11 d.r.): R_f 0.54 (hexane:EtOAc 3:2); mp 43 $^{\circ}$ C; $[\alpha]_D^{20}$ -22.0° (THF, c 0.61); ^1H NMR (CD_3OD , 400 MHz) δ 1.31-1.33 (12H, m), 1.41 (9H, s), 2.80-2.90 (1H, m), 3.07 (1H, dd, $J = 6.0, 13.2$), 3.82 (1H, dd, $J = 6.4, 13.5$), 3.90-4.00 (1H, m), 4.09 (1H, q, $J = 7.2$), 4.32 (1H, q, $J = 6.1$), 5.22 (1H, d, $J = 10.3$), 5.28 (1H, d, $J = 17.1$), 5.80-5.90 (1H, m), 7.20-7.35 (5H, m); ^{13}C NMR (CDCl_3 , 100 MHz) δ 17.8, 28.2, 28.6, 39.1, 49.0, 54.7, 57.5, 80.8, 83.2, 121.1, 127.3, 128.6, 130.2, 131.5, 136.1, 155.8, 170.5, 172.2; IR (KBr) $\nu_{\text{max}}/\text{cm}^{-1}$ 1151, 1249, 1365, 1454, 1498, 1686, 3296; HRMS (ESI) m/z calculated for $\text{C}_{24}\text{H}_{38}\text{N}_4\text{NaO}_7\text{S}$ $[\text{M}+\text{Na}]^+$ 549.2353; found 549.2367.

N*-(Boc)-L-alaninyl-azasulfurylphenylalaninyl-L-alanine methyl ester **108*



Employing the protocol for the synthesis of aza-propargylsulfuryl glycyl tripeptide **106**, azasulfuryl glycyl tripeptide **99** (45 mg, 0.122 mmol) was reacted with benzyl bromide (15.9 μ L, 0.134 mmol). The residue was purified by flash chromatography eluting with 13:7 hexane:EtOAc to afford azasulfurylphenylalaninyl tripeptide **108** as a solid (36 mg, 64%): R_f 0.32 (hexane:EtOAc 3:2); mp 52 $^{\circ}$ C; $[\alpha]_D^{20}$ -20.5° (CHCl_3 , c 0.72); ^1H NMR (CDCl_3 , 400 MHz) δ 1.16 (3H, d, J = 7.0), 1.40 (9H, s), 1.45 (3H, d, J = 7.2), 3.74 (3H, s), 3.95-4.05 (1H, m), 4.25-4.40 (1H, m), 4.58 (2H, s), 4.80-4.95 (1H, br), 5.90-6.00 (1H, br), 7.25-7.40 (5H, m), 8.00-8.10 (1H, br); ^{13}C NMR (CDCl_3 , 100 MHz) δ 17.6, 19.7, 28.6, 49.3, 52.3, 53.1, 55.2, 81.0, 128.5, 128.9, 129.6, 134.8, 155.9, 172.2, 173.7; IR (neat) $\nu_{\text{max}}/\text{cm}^{-1}$ 1143, 1163, 1248, 1349, 1453, 1509, 1685, 3293; HRMS m/z calculated for $\text{C}_{19}\text{H}_{30}\text{N}_4\text{NaO}_7\text{S}$ $[\text{M}+\text{Na}]^+$ 481.1727; found 481.1724.

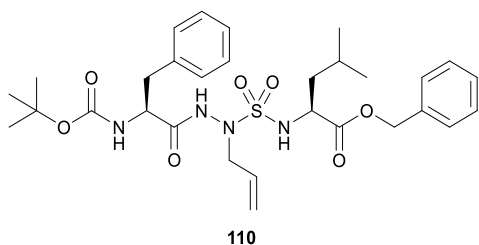
N*-(Boc)-L-alaninyl-azasulfurylphenylalaninyl-L-leucine benzyl ester **109*



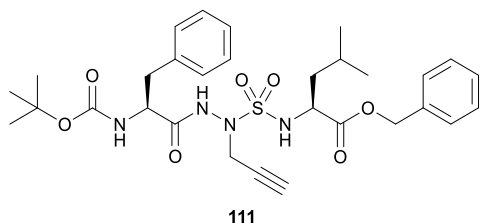
Employing the protocol for the synthesis of aza-propargylsulfuryl glycyl tripeptide **106**, azasulfuryl glycyl tripeptide **100** (85 mg, 0.175 mmol) was reacted with benzyl bromide (23.0 μ L, 0.192 mmol). The residue was purified by flash chromatography eluting with 7:3 hexane:EtOAc to afford azasulfurylphenylalaninyl tripeptide **109** as a solid (76 mg, 75%): R_f 0.47 (hexane:EtOAc 17:3); mp 43 $^{\circ}$ C; $[\alpha]_D^{20}$ -13.4° (CHCl_3 , c 1.00); ^1H NMR (CDCl_3 , 400 MHz) δ 0.91 (3H, d, J = 6.4), 0.93 (3H, d, J = 6.3), 1.19 (3H, d, J = 7.0), 1.40 (9H, s), 1.55-1.60 (1H, m), 1.60-1.65 (1H, m), 1.75-1.85 (1H, m), 4.00 (1H, t, J = 7.2), 4.27 (1H, q, J = 8.0), 4.53 (1H, d, J = 14.0), 4.58 (1H, d, J = 14.0), 4.90-5.00 (1H, br), 5.10 (1H, d, J = 12.2), 5.17 (1H, d,

$J = 12.2$), 5.90-6.00 (1H, br), 7.20-7.30 (5H, m), 7.30-7.40 (5H, m), 8.18 (1H, s); ^{13}C NMR (CDCl_3 , 100 MHz) δ 17.6, 22.3, 22.9, 24.7, 28.6, 42.4, 49.1, 54.8, 55.3, 67.8, 80.8, 128.4, 128.6, 128.80, 128.82, 128.92, 129.5, 135.1, 135.4, 155.9, 172.3, 173.5; IR (neat) $\nu_{\text{max}}/\text{cm}^{-1}$ 1142, 1161, 1246, 1354, 1454, 1497, 1684, 3294; HRMS m/z calculated for $\text{C}_{28}\text{H}_{40}\text{N}_4\text{NaO}_7\text{S}$ $[\text{M}+\text{Na}]^+$ 599.2510; found 599.2516.

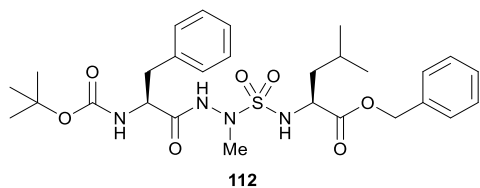
N*-(Boc)-L-phenylalaninyl-aza-allylsulfurylglycyl-L-leucine benzyl ester **110*



Employing the protocol for the synthesis of aza-propargylsulfurylglycyl tripeptide **106**, azasulfurylglycyl tripeptide **103** (50 mg, 0.089 mmol) was reacted with allyl bromide (8.46 μL , 0.098 mmol). The residue was purified by flash chromatography eluting with 3:1 Hex:EtOAc to afford aza-allylsulfurylglycyl tripeptide **110** as a solid (44 mg, 83%): R_f 0.61 (Hex:EtOAc 13:7); mp 43 $^{\circ}\text{C}$; $[\alpha]^{20}_{\text{D}} -12.5^{\circ}$ (THF, c 1.25); ^1H NMR (CDCl_3 , 500 MHz) δ 0.94 (3H, d, $J = 6.6$), 0.95 (3H, d, $J = 6.5$), 1.43 (9H, s), 1.50-1.70 (2H, m), 1.75-1.85 (1H, m), 3.00 (1H, dd, $J = 7.6, 14.0$), 3.14 (1H, dd, $J = 6.7, 14.0$), 3.85-3.90 (1H, dd, $J = 6.2, 13.9$), 3.96 (1H, dd, $J = 6.7, 14.3$), 4.20-4.25 (1H, m), 4.31 (1H, q, $J = 7.6$), 5.01 (1H, d, $J = 7.7$), 5.12 (1H, d, $J = 16.2$), 5.14 (1H, d, $J = 10.8$), 5.22 (2H, s), 5.65-5.75 (1H, m), 5.75-5.85 (1H, br), 7.20-7.40 (10H, m), 8.07 (1H, s); ^{13}C NMR (CDCl_3 , 125 MHz) δ 22.3, 22.9, 24.7, 28.6, 37.5, 42.4, 54.6, 55.0, 55.3, 67.9, 81.1, 120.8, 127.4, 128.74, 128.84, 128.94, 129.04, 129.7, 131.5, 135.5, 136.6, 156.1, 171.0, 173.6; IR (neat) $\nu_{\text{max}}/\text{cm}^{-1}$ 1142, 1162, 1249, 1352, 1455, 1497, 1685, 3288; HRMS m/z calculated for $\text{C}_{30}\text{H}_{42}\text{N}_4\text{NaO}_7\text{S}$ $[\text{M}+\text{Na}]^+$ 625.2666; found 625.2643.

***N*-(Boc)-L-phenylalaninyl-aza-propargylsulfurylglycinyl-L-leucine benzyl ester 111**

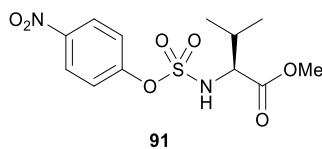
Employing the protocol for the synthesis of aza-propargylsulfurylglycinyl tripeptide **106**, azasulfurylglycinyl tripeptide **103** (100 mg, 0.178 mmol) was reacted with propargyl bromide (80 wt% in PhMe, 29.1 μ L; 0.195 mmol). The residue was purified by flash chromatography eluting with a solution of hexane:EtOAc 3:1 to afford aza-propargylsulfurylglycinyl tripeptide **111** as a solid (72 mg, 67%): R_f 0.55 (hexane:EtOAc 13:7); mp 47 °C; $[\alpha]_D^{20}$ -1.8° (CHCl₃, c 0.97); ¹H NMR (CDCl₃, 400 MHz) δ 0.93 (3H, d, J = 6.6), 0.94 (3H, d, J = 6.5), 1.43 (9H, s), 1.50-1.60 (1H, m), 1.60-1.70 (1H, m), 1.70-1.80 (1H, m), 2.23 (1H, s), 3.02 (1H, dd, J = 7.8, 14.0), 3.16 (1H, dd, J = 6.4, 14.0), 4.10-4.15 (1H, m), 4.17 (1H, d, J = 8.2), 4.21 (1H, d, J = 6.5), 4.37 (1H, q, J = 7.4), 5.00-5.10 (1H, br), 5.18 (1H, d, J = 12.3), 5.23 (1H, d, J = 12.2), 5.65-5.75 (1H, br), 7.20-7.40 (10H, m), 8.33 (1H, s); ¹³C NMR (CDCl₃, 100 MHz) δ 22.3, 22.8, 24.7, 28.6, 37.7, 41.9, 42.3, 55.0, 55.3, 67.9, 74.8, 76.8, 81.0, 127.4, 128.7, 128.84, 128.93, 129.1, 129.7, 135.4, 136.5, 156.0, 170.8, 173.4; IR (neat) $\nu_{\max}/\text{cm}^{-1}$ 1145, 1163, 1248, 1365, 1455, 1497, 1684, 3275; HRMS m/z calculated for C₃₀H₄₀N₄NaO₇S [M+Na]⁺ 623.2510; found 623.2510.

***N*-(Boc)-L-phenylalaninyl-azasulfurylalaninyl-L-leucine benzyl ester 112**

Employing the protocol for the synthesis of aza-propargylsulfurylglycinyl tripeptide **106**, azasulfuryl tripeptide **103** (50 mg, 0.089 mmol) was reacted with iodomethane (6.09 μ L, 0.098 mmol). The residue was purified by flash chromatography eluting with 7:3 hexane:EtOAc to afford azasulfurylalaninyl tripeptide **112** as a solid (35 mg, 68%): R_f 0.55 (hexane:EtOAc 13:7); mp 52 °C; $[\alpha]_D^{20}$ 10.6° (CHCl₃, c 1.74); ¹H NMR (CDCl₃, 500 MHz)

δ 0.93 (3H, d, $J = 6.4$), 0.94 (3H, d, $J = 6.6$), 1.42 (9H, s), 1.50-1.60 (1H, m), 1.60-1.70 (1H, m), 1.70-1.80 (1H, m), 2.86, (3H, s), 2.95-3.05 (1H, m), 3.05-3.15 (1H, m), 4.10-4.20 (1H, m), 4.31 (1H, q, $J = 7.5$), 5.17 (1H, d, $J = 12.6$), 5.19 (1H, d, $J = 12.1$), 5.75-5.85 (1H, br), 5.98 (1H, d, $J = 8.55$), 7.20-7.40 (10H, m), 8.25 (1H, s); ^{13}C NMR (CDCl_3 , 125 MHz) δ 22.1, 22.9, 24.6, 28.6, 37.8, 39.4, 42.1, 55.0, 55.2, 67.9, 81.1, 127.4, 128.77, 128.85, 128.91, 129.02, 129.7, 135.3, 136.4, 156.0, 170.7, 173.9; IR (neat) $\nu_{\text{max}}/\text{cm}^{-1}$ 1142, 1161, 1249, 1365, 1455, 1497, 1682, 3267; HRMS m/z calculated for $\text{C}_{28}\text{H}_{40}\text{N}_4\text{NaO}_7\text{S}$ $[\text{M}+\text{Na}]^+$ 599.2510; found 599.2494.

CRYSTAL AND MOLECULAR STRUCTURE OF
C₁₂ H₁₆ N₂ O₇ S (COMPOUND 91)



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Structure solved and refined in the laboratory of X-ray
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Table 1. Crystal data and structure refinement for C₁₂ H₁₆ N₂ O₇ S.

Identification code	lube49
Empirical formula	C ₁₂ H ₁₆ N ₂ O ₇ S
Formula weight	332.33
Temperature	150K
Wavelength	1.54178 Å
Crystal system	Orthorhombic
Space group	P2 ₁ 2 ₁ 2 ₁
Unit cell dimensions	$a = 5.2757(1) \text{ Å}$ $\alpha = 90^\circ$ $b = 9.3605(2) \text{ Å}$ $\beta = 90^\circ$ $c = 31.0792(6) \text{ Å}$ $\gamma = 90^\circ$
Volume	1534.79(5) Å ³
Z	4
Density (calculated)	1.438 g/cm ³
Absorption coefficient	2.224 mm ⁻¹
F(000)	696
Crystal size	0.10 x 0.05 x 0.02 mm
Theta range for data collection	2.84 to 69.66°
Index ranges	$-5 \leq h \leq 6$, $-11 \leq k \leq 11$, $-37 \leq \ell \leq 37$
Reflections collected	25343
Independent reflections	2872 [$R_{\text{int}} = 0.043$]
Absorption correction	Semi-empirical from equivalents
Max. and min. transmission	0.9565 and 0.7907
Refinement method	Full-matrix least-squares on F^2
Data / restraints / parameters	2872 / 0 / 203
Goodness-of-fit on F^2	1.074
Final R indices [$I > 2\sigma(I)$]	$R_1 = 0.0290$, $wR_2 = 0.0805$

R indices (all data) $R_1 = 0.0292$, $wR_2 = 0.0807$

Absolute structure parameter 0.061(16)

Largest diff. peak and hole 0.353 and -0.321 e/Å³

Table 2. Atomic coordinates ($\times 10^4$) and equivalent isotropic displacement parameters (Å² $\times 10^3$) for C12 H16 N2 O7 S.

U_{eq} is defined as one third of the trace of the orthogonalized U_{ij} tensor.

	x	y	z	U_{eq}
C(1)	3352(4)	-2060(2)	1771(1)	35(1)
O(1)	2428(2)	-620(1)	1705(1)	29(1)
C(2)	4125(3)	416(2)	1736(1)	24(1)
O(2)	6318(2)	233(1)	1841(1)	34(1)
C(3)	3046(3)	1888(2)	1643(1)	23(1)
N(4)	453(2)	1845(1)	1470(1)	24(1)
S(5)	9(1)	1897(1)	963(1)	24(1)
O(51)	1352(2)	3051(1)	776(1)	32(1)
O(52)	-2630(2)	1733(2)	885(1)	33(1)
O(6)	1424(2)	456(1)	817(1)	29(1)
C(7)	1936(3)	165(2)	387(1)	26(1)
C(8)	464(3)	650(2)	48(1)	33(1)
C(9)	1082(4)	240(2)	-369(1)	35(1)
C(10)	3136(4)	-642(2)	-428(1)	34(1)
C(11)	4632(4)	-1124(2)	-94(1)	37(1)
C(12)	4023(4)	-710(2)	321(1)	31(1)
N(10)	3806(5)	-1063(2)	-869(1)	49(1)
O(13)	5721(6)	-1806(3)	-914(1)	106(1)
O(14)	2529(3)	-626(2)	-1167(1)	60(1)
C(31)	3163(3)	2820(2)	2053(1)	30(1)
C(32)	1439(4)	2261(2)	2407(1)	40(1)
C(33)	2596(5)	4372(2)	1946(1)	48(1)

Table 3. Hydrogen coordinates ($\times 10^4$) and isotropic displacement parameters ($\text{\AA}^2 \times 10^3$) for C12 H16 N2 O7 S.

	x	y	z	U _{eq}
H(1A)	4788	-2240	1579	52
H(1B)	1993	-2743	1709	52
H(1C)	3901	-2170	2071	52
H(3)	4152	2347	1421	28
H(4)	-850	1790	1646	29
H(8)	-949	1255	100	39
H(9)	109	562	-607	42
H(11)	6047	-1726	-148	44
H(12)	5021	-1021	557	37
H(31)	4941	2777	2163	36
H(32A)	1653	2846	2666	59
H(32B)	1882	1268	2472	59
H(32C)	-329	2309	2311	59
H(33A)	854	4454	1839	72
H(33B)	3776	4706	1724	72
H(33C)	2791	4957	2205	72

Table 4. Anisotropic parameters ($\text{\AA}^2 \times 10^3$) for C12 H16 N2 O7 S.

The anisotropic displacement factor exponent takes the form:

$$-2 \pi^2 [h^2 a^{*2} U_{11} + \dots + 2 h k a^* b^* U_{12}]$$

	U11	U22	U33	U23	U13	U12
C (1)	43 (1)	24 (1)	38 (1)	1 (1)	-6 (1)	4 (1)
O (1)	26 (1)	24 (1)	36 (1)	0 (1)	-4 (1)	-2 (1)
C (2)	20 (1)	28 (1)	24 (1)	1 (1)	3 (1)	-1 (1)
O (2)	20 (1)	39 (1)	44 (1)	11 (1)	-3 (1)	0 (1)
C (3)	16 (1)	26 (1)	28 (1)	1 (1)	0 (1)	-2 (1)
N (4)	17 (1)	29 (1)	26 (1)	-2 (1)	2 (1)	0 (1)
S (5)	20 (1)	27 (1)	25 (1)	1 (1)	1 (1)	3 (1)
O (51)	31 (1)	32 (1)	34 (1)	8 (1)	3 (1)	2 (1)
O (52)	19 (1)	48 (1)	31 (1)	0 (1)	-1 (1)	3 (1)
O (6)	32 (1)	31 (1)	24 (1)	1 (1)	2 (1)	8 (1)
C (7)	25 (1)	28 (1)	26 (1)	-2 (1)	4 (1)	-1 (1)
C (8)	28 (1)	41 (1)	29 (1)	-1 (1)	1 (1)	5 (1)
C (9)	33 (1)	42 (1)	28 (1)	3 (1)	-1 (1)	-2 (1)
C (10)	42 (1)	32 (1)	27 (1)	-2 (1)	8 (1)	-8 (1)
C (11)	41 (1)	32 (1)	37 (1)	-2 (1)	9 (1)	5 (1)
C (12)	30 (1)	31 (1)	31 (1)	-2 (1)	1 (1)	4 (1)
N (10)	72 (1)	44 (1)	32 (1)	-6 (1)	13 (1)	-2 (1)
O (13)	164 (2)	109 (2)	44 (1)	-3 (1)	31 (1)	80 (2)
O (14)	62 (1)	87 (1)	29 (1)	-9 (1)	0 (1)	-16 (1)
C (31)	24 (1)	34 (1)	31 (1)	-6 (1)	-2 (1)	-2 (1)
C (32)	34 (1)	57 (1)	29 (1)	-8 (1)	2 (1)	-7 (1)
C (33)	63 (1)	32 (1)	51 (1)	-7 (1)	0 (1)	2 (1)

Table 5. Bond lengths [Å] and angles [°] for C12 H16 N2 O7 S

C(1)-O(1)	1.448(2)	N(4)-C(3)-C(31)	110.72(13)
O(1)-C(2)	1.323(2)	C(2)-C(3)-C(31)	109.79(13)
C(2)-O(2)	1.213(2)	C(3)-N(4)-S(5)	119.79(10)
C(2)-C(3)	1.520(2)	O(51)-S(5)-O(52)	120.13(8)
C(3)-N(4)	1.4700(19)	O(51)-S(5)-N(4)	110.86(7)
C(3)-C(31)	1.546(2)	O(52)-S(5)-N(4)	108.04(7)
N(4)-S(5)	1.5930(13)	O(51)-S(5)-O(6)	106.95(7)
S(5)-O(51)	1.4168(13)	O(52)-S(5)-O(6)	108.41(7)
S(5)-O(52)	1.4219(12)	N(4)-S(5)-O(6)	100.67(7)
S(5)-O(6)	1.6071(12)	C(7)-O(6)-S(5)	121.71(11)
O(6)-C(7)	1.392(2)	C(8)-C(7)-C(12)	121.80(16)
C(7)-C(8)	1.383(2)	C(8)-C(7)-O(6)	123.88(15)
C(7)-C(12)	1.387(3)	C(12)-C(7)-O(6)	114.29(15)
C(8)-C(9)	1.390(3)	C(7)-C(8)-C(9)	119.07(17)
C(9)-C(10)	1.375(3)	C(10)-C(9)-C(8)	118.41(17)
C(10)-C(11)	1.378(3)	C(9)-C(10)-C(11)	123.14(17)
C(10)-N(10)	1.470(2)	C(9)-C(10)-N(10)	118.40(18)
C(11)-C(12)	1.384(3)	C(11)-C(10)-N(10)	118.44(18)
N(10)-O(14)	1.216(3)	C(10)-C(11)-C(12)	118.43(18)
N(10)-O(13)	1.234(3)	C(11)-C(12)-C(7)	119.13(18)
C(31)-C(33)	1.520(3)	O(14)-N(10)-O(13)	123.79(19)
C(31)-C(32)	1.521(3)	O(14)-N(10)-C(10)	119.1(2)
		O(13)-N(10)-C(10)	117.0(2)
C(2)-O(1)-C(1)	116.29(14)	C(33)-C(31)-C(32)	111.69(17)
O(2)-C(2)-O(1)	124.20(16)	C(33)-C(31)-C(3)	110.53(15)
O(2)-C(2)-C(3)	122.42(16)	C(32)-C(31)-C(3)	112.27(15)
O(1)-C(2)-C(3)	113.36(13)		
N(4)-C(3)-C(2)	113.17(13)		

Table 6. Torsion angles [$^{\circ}$] for C12 H16 N2 O7 S.

C(1)-O(1)-C(2)-O(2)	-4.4(2)
C(1)-O(1)-C(2)-C(3)	177.38(14)
O(2)-C(2)-C(3)-N(4)	172.69(15)
O(1)-C(2)-C(3)-N(4)	-9.06(19)
O(2)-C(2)-C(3)-C(31)	-63.0(2)
O(1)-C(2)-C(3)-C(31)	115.21(15)
C(2)-C(3)-N(4)-S(5)	-95.54(14)
C(31)-C(3)-N(4)-S(5)	140.70(12)
C(3)-N(4)-S(5)-O(51)	-50.72(14)
C(3)-N(4)-S(5)-O(52)	175.73(12)
C(3)-N(4)-S(5)-O(6)	62.19(13)
O(51)-S(5)-O(6)-C(7)	-52.43(14)
O(52)-S(5)-O(6)-C(7)	78.45(14)
N(4)-S(5)-O(6)-C(7)	-168.29(13)
S(5)-O(6)-C(7)-C(8)	-29.5(2)
S(5)-O(6)-C(7)-C(12)	152.78(13)
C(12)-C(7)-C(8)-C(9)	0.5(3)
O(6)-C(7)-C(8)-C(9)	-177.00(17)
C(7)-C(8)-C(9)-C(10)	0.3(3)
C(8)-C(9)-C(10)-C(11)	-0.9(3)
C(8)-C(9)-C(10)-N(10)	-179.32(18)
C(9)-C(10)-C(11)-C(12)	0.6(3)
N(10)-C(10)-C(11)-C(12)	179.02(18)
C(10)-C(11)-C(12)-C(7)	0.3(3)
C(8)-C(7)-C(12)-C(11)	-0.8(3)
O(6)-C(7)-C(12)-C(11)	176.92(16)
C(9)-C(10)-N(10)-O(14)	-0.3(3)
C(11)-C(10)-N(10)-O(14)	-178.8(2)
C(9)-C(10)-N(10)-O(13)	177.0(2)
C(11)-C(10)-N(10)-O(13)	-1.5(3)
N(4)-C(3)-C(31)-C(33)	-65.69(19)
C(2)-C(3)-C(31)-C(33)	168.64(16)
N(4)-C(3)-C(31)-C(32)	59.76(19)
C(2)-C(3)-C(31)-C(32)	-65.92(18)

Table 7. Bond lengths [Å] and angles [°] related to the hydrogen bonding for C12 H16 N2 O7 S.

D-H	..A	d(D-H)	d(H..A)	d(D..A)	<DHA
N(4)-H(4)	O(2)#1	0.88	2.17	2.8917(18)	138.5

Symmetry transformations used to generate equivalent atoms:

#1 x-1,y,z

ORTEP view of the C12 H16 N2 O7 S compound with the numbering scheme adopted. Ellipsoids drawn at 30% probability level. Hydrogen atoms are represented by sphere of arbitrary size.

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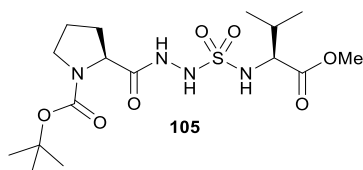
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General Methods

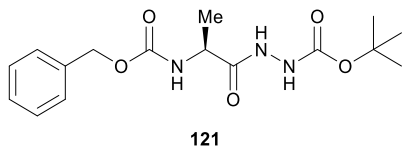
Literature methods were employed to synthesize *N*-(Boc)proline hydrazide (**95**),⁹¹ *N*-(Cbz)alanine (**120**),¹⁵⁹ and 4-nitrophenyl sulfamides of valine methyl ester (**91**) and D-phenylalanine *tert*-butyl ester [(*R*)-**90**].⁹¹ *Iso*-butyl chloroformate, 4-methylmorpholine, *tert*-butyl carbazate (**81**), triethylamine and 1,2-dichloroethane (DCE) were purchased from Aldrich® and used as received. Trifluoroacetic acid (TFA) was purchased from A&C Chemicals® and used as received. Anhydrous tetrahydrofuran (THF) and dichloromethane (DCM) were obtained by passage through a solvent filtration system (GlassContour®, Irvine, CA). Ethyl acetate (EtOAc) and hexanes were purchased from Fisher Chemicals® and fractionally distilled prior to use. Microwave irradiation was accomplished using a 300 MW Biotage® apparatus on the high-absorption level; temperature was monitored automatically. Flash chromatography¹⁵⁸ was performed on 230–400 mesh silica gel, and thin-layer chromatography was performed on silica gel 60 F254 plates from Merck®. Melting points were measured using a Gallenkamp® apparatus and are uncorrected. Specific rotations, $[\alpha]_D$ values, were calculated from optical rotations measured at 20 °C in CHCl₃ or MeOH at the specified concentrations (*c* in g/100 mL) using a 1-dm cell (*l*) on a PerkinElmer Polarimeter 341, using the general formula: $[\alpha]^{20}_D = (100 \times \alpha)/(l \times c)$. Accurate mass measurements were performed on a LC-MSD instrument from Agilent technologies in positive electrospray ionisation (ESI) mode at the Université de Montréal Mass Spectrometry facility. Sodium and proton adducts ($[M+Na]^+$ and $[M+H]^+$) were used for empirical formula confirmation. ¹H NMR spectra were measured in CDCl₃ (7.26 ppm) or CD₃OD (3.34 ppm). ¹³C NMR spectra were measured in CDCl₃ (77.36 ppm) or CD₃OD (49.86 ppm). Coupling constant *J* values are measured in Hertz (Hz) and chemical shift values are reported in parts per million (ppm). Infrared spectra were recorded in the neat on an ATR Bruker® apparatus.

N-(Boc)-prolyl-azasulfurylglycyl-valine methyl ester (**105**)



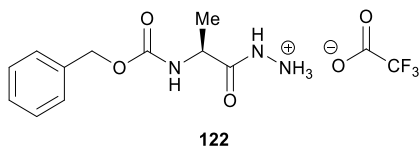
Azasulfurylglycine peptide **105** was prepared according to reference 91. Crystals were grown from mixtures of hexanes in ethyl acetate.

***N*-(Cbz)-alanine *N*-(Boc)-hydrazide (**121**)**



N-(Cbz)Alanine (**120**, 6.70 g, 30.0 mmol, prepared according to reference 159) was dissolved in dry THF (100 mL), cooled to $-15\text{ }^{\circ}\text{C}$, treated with *iso*-butyl chloroformate (3.92 mL, 30.0 mmol) and 4-methylmorpholine (4.13 mL, 37.5 mmol), stirred for 15 min, and treated with a solution of *tert*-butyl carbazate (**81**, 3.30 g, 25.0 mmol) in dry THF (5 mL). After stirring at $-15\text{ }^{\circ}\text{C}$ for 2h, the volatiles were evaporated and the residue was dissolved in DCM (100 mL), washed with water (2 x 100 mL), dried over MgSO_4 , filtered and evaporated. The residue was purified by flash chromatography eluting with 1:1 hexane/EtOAc to afford hydrazide **121** as a solid (8.22 g, 97%): R_f 0.29 (hexane:EtOAc 1:1); mp $58\text{ }^{\circ}\text{C}$; $[\alpha]^{20}_{\text{D}} -31.8^{\circ}$ (CHCl_3 , c 0.99); ^1H NMR (CDCl_3 , 400 MHz) δ 1.37 (3H, d, $J = 7.0$), 1.43 (9H, s), 4.25-4.35 (1H, m), 5.01 (1H, d, $J = 12.2$), 5.10 (1H, d, $J = 12.2$), 5.70-5.80 (1H, br), 6.80-6.90 (1H, br), 7.20-7.30 (5H, m), 8.60-8.75 (1H, br); ^{13}C NMR (CDCl_3 , 100 MHz) δ 18.6, 28.4, 49.3, 67.4, 82.0, 128.4, 128.5, 128.8, 136.4, 155.7, 156.5, 172.6; IR (neat) $\nu_{\text{max}}/\text{cm}^{-1}$ 1155, 1235, 1367, 1453, 1498, 1675, 2979, 3281; HRMS (ESI) m/z calculated for $\text{C}_{16}\text{H}_{23}\text{N}_3\text{NaO}_5$ $[\text{M}+\text{Na}]^+$ 360.1530; found 360.1534.

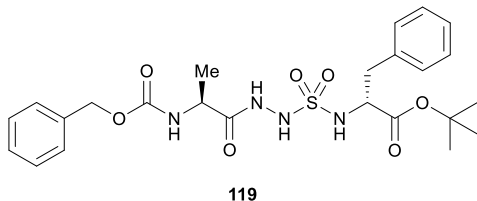
***N*-(Cbz)-alanine hydrazidium trifluoroacetate (**122**)**



Hydrazide **121** (1.01 g, 3.0 mmol) was treated with TFA:DCM 1:1 (5 mL) for 2h at room temperature. The volatiles were evaporated to afford hydrazide salt **122** as an oil (1.04 g, 99%): $[\alpha]^{20}_{\text{D}} 8.0^{\circ}$ (MeOH, c 1.01); ^1H NMR (CD_3OD , 400 MHz) δ 1.40 (3H, d, $J = 7.1$), 4.20-4.30 (1H, m), 5.00-5.20 (2H, m), 7.20-7.40 (5H, m); ^{13}C NMR (CD_3OD , 100 MHz) δ 18.7, 51.5,

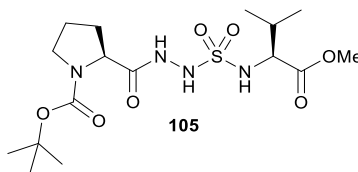
68.6, 118.8 (q, $J\text{-}^{19}\text{F} = 290.5$), 129.7, 129.9, 130.3, 138.8, 159.1, 163.5 (q, $J\text{-}^{19}\text{F} = 36.0$), 175.1; IR (neat) $\nu_{\text{max}}/\text{cm}^{-1}$ 1135, 1185, 1359, 1420, 1656, 2981; HRMS (ESI) m/z calculated for $\text{C}_{11}\text{H}_{16}\text{N}_3\text{O}_3$ $[\text{M}]^+$ 238.1186; found 238.1191.

***N*-(Cbz)-alaninyl-azasulfurylglycyl-D-phenylalanine *tert*-butyl ester (**119**)**



Hydrazide salt **122** (1.05 g, 3.00 mmol) was added to a microwave vessel containing a solution of D-phenylalanine-derived 4-nitrophenyl sulfamidate (*R*)-**90** (0.94 g, 2.00 mmol, prepared according to reference 91) in CHCl_3 (15 mL). The mixture was treated with NEt_3 (834 μL , 6.00 mmol), at which point the solution turned yellow. The vessel was sealed and heated to 60 $^\circ\text{C}$ using microwave irradiation for 2.5 h. After completion of the reaction, CHCl_3 (100 mL) was added and the organic phase was washed with 5% citric acid (2 x 100 mL) and H_2O (1 x 100 mL), dried over MgSO_4 , filtered, and evaporated. The residue was purified by flash chromatography eluting with 11:9 hexane/EtOAc to afford sulfamide **119** as a solid (575 mg, 55%). Crystals were grown from hexanes in ethyl acetate: R_f 0.30 (hexane:EtOAc 3:2); mp 61 $^\circ\text{C}$; $[\alpha]_{\text{D}}^{20} -59.4^\circ$ (CHCl_3 , c 0.98); ^1H NMR (CDCl_3 , 400 MHz) δ 1.36 (3H, d, $J = 7.0$), 1.40 (9H, s), 3.00-3.20 (2H, m), 4.25-4.40 (2H, m), 5.04 (1H, d, $J = 12.0$), 5.14 (1H, d, $J = 12.0$), 5.60 (1H, br), 5.74 (1H, br), 7.20-7.40 (11H, m), 8.66 (1H, s); ^{13}C NMR (CDCl_3 , 100 MHz) δ 18.2, 28.2, 39.1, 49.5, 57.6, 67.6, 83.4, 127.4, 128.45, 128.49, 128.7, 128.8, 130.1, 135.9, 136.3, 156.5, 171.1, 172.4; IR (neat) $\nu_{\text{max}}/\text{cm}^{-1}$ 1153, 1253, 1368, 1457, 1509, 1687, 2989, 3248; HRMS (ESI) m/z calculated for $\text{C}_{24}\text{H}_{32}\text{N}_4\text{NaO}_7\text{S}$ $[\text{M}+\text{Na}]^+$ 543.1884; found 543.1876.

CRYSTAL AND MOLECULAR STRUCTURE OF
C₁₆ H₃₀ N₄ O₇ S (COMPOUND 105)



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Structure solved and refined in the laboratory of X-ray
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Table 1. Crystal data and structure refinement for C₁₆ H₃₀ N₄ O₇ S.

Identification code	lube50
Empirical formula	C ₁₆ H ₃₀ N ₄ O ₇ S
Formula weight	422.50
Temperature	150K
Wavelength	1.54178 Å
Crystal system	Monoclinic
Space group	P2 ₁
Unit cell dimensions	$a = 13.1965(15) \text{ Å}$ $\alpha = 90^\circ$ $b = 6.0370(9) \text{ Å}$ $\beta = 113.093(7)^\circ$ $c = 14.3152(19) \text{ Å}$ $\gamma = 90^\circ$
Volume	1049.1(2) Å ³
Z	2
Density (calculated)	1.338 g/cm ³
Absorption coefficient	1.763 mm ⁻¹
F(000)	452
Crystal size	0.20 x 0.02 x 0.01 mm
Theta range for data collection	3.36 to 70.68°
Index ranges	$-16 \leq h \leq 16$, $-6 \leq k \leq 6$, $-17 \leq \ell \leq 16$
Reflections collected	17220
Independent reflections	3312 [R _{int} = 0.069]
Absorption correction	Semi-empirical from equivalents
Max. and min. transmission	0.9825 and 0.7467
Refinement method	Full-matrix least-squares on F ²
Data / restraints / parameters	3312 / 4 / 272
Goodness-of-fit on F ²	1.026
Final R indices [I > 2sigma(I)]	R ₁ = 0.0590, wR ₂ = 0.1390

R indices (all data)	$R_1 = 0.0875$, $wR_2 = 0.1544$
Absolute structure parameter	0.01(3)
Largest diff. peak and hole	0.406 and -0.318 e/Å ³

Table 2. Atomic coordinates ($\times 10^4$) and equivalent isotropic displacement parameters (Å² $\times 10^3$) for C16 H30 N4 O7 S.

U_{eq} is defined as one third of the trace of the orthogonalized U_{ij} tensor.

	x	y	z	U_{eq}
C(1)	-447(6)	5578(13)	4092(5)	78(2)
O(1)	-595(3)	4938(6)	3075(3)	50(1)
C(2)	43(4)	3324(9)	2987(4)	41(1)
O(2)	695(4)	2378(9)	3703(3)	84(2)
C(3)	-188(4)	2826(8)	1882(3)	32(1)
N(4)	755(3)	1634(5)	1852(3)	35(1)
S(5)	1176(1)	1978(3)	953(1)	33(1)
O(51)	294(2)	2207(6)	-19(2)	38(1)
O(52)	2023(3)	392(6)	1109(3)	39(1)
N(6)	1778(3)	4478(6)	1121(3)	33(1)
N(7)	2566(3)	4862(7)	2089(3)	35(1)
C(8)	2372(4)	6269(8)	2738(3)	32(1)
O(8)	1465(2)	7086(6)	2543(2)	38(1)
C(9)	3377(3)	6786(8)	3696(3)	34(1)
N(10)	3693(3)	9110(7)	3675(3)	35(1)
C(11)	3347(4)	10548(9)	4326(4)	42(1)
C(12)	2762(5)	8942(10)	4775(4)	53(2)
C(13)	3133(4)	6658(9)	4658(4)	44(1)
C(14)	4241(4)	9898(8)	3137(4)	34(1)
O(14)	4471(2)	11883(6)	3104(2)	38(1)
O(15)	4529(3)	8261(6)	2648(2)	38(1)
C(16)	5225(4)	8680(9)	2087(4)	38(1)
C(17)	4659(5)	10259(9)	1201(4)	50(1)
C(18)	6339(4)	9521(11)	2803(4)	50(1)
C(19)	5307(5)	6361(9)	1686(4)	56(2)
C(31)	-1278(4)	1599(9)	1340(4)	46(1)
C(32)	-2278(4)	2996(10)	1190(4)	53(2)
C(33)	-1290(5)	-570(10)	1865(7)	83(2)

Table 3. Hydrogen coordinates ($\times 10^4$) and isotropic displacement parameters ($\text{\AA}^2 \times 10^3$) for C16 H30 N4 O7 S.

	x	y	z	U _{eq}
H(1A)	-640	4332	4430	117
H(1B)	-924	6844	4062	117
H(1C)	324	5992	4476	117
H(3)	-238	4272	1526	38
H(4)	970 (50)	370 (60)	2180 (40)	90 (20)
H(6)	1220 (30)	5400 (70)	970 (40)	55 (18)
H(7)	3218 (16)	4270 (70)	2230 (30)	21 (11)
H(9)	4002	5781	3754	41
H(11A)	2839	11722	3923	50
H(11B)	3990	11246	4866	50
H(12A)	2955	9280	5501	63
H(12B)	1953	9071	4411	63
H(13A)	2548	5559	4577	52
H(13B)	3803	6246	5255	52
H(17A)	3900	9767	820	75
H(17B)	5061	10266	752	75
H(17C)	4653	11757	1462	75
H(18A)	6262	11030	3020	75
H(18B)	6847	9528	2454	75
H(18C)	6629	8551	3399	75
H(19A)	5613	5331	2257	83
H(19B)	5787	6411	1310	83
H(19C)	4571	5859	1233	83
H(31)	-1316	1216	647	55
H(32A)	-2307	3311	1850	80
H(32B)	-2944	2194	762	80
H(32C)	-2232	4392	859	80
H(33A)	-642	-1447	1928	125
H(33B)	-1960	-1397	1465	125
H(33C)	-1277	-272	2543	125

Table 4. Anisotropic parameters ($\text{\AA}^2 \times 10^3$) for C16 H30 N4 O7 S.

The anisotropic displacement factor exponent takes the form:

$$-2 \pi^2 [h^2 a^{*2} U_{11} + \dots + 2 h k a^* b^* U_{12}]$$

	U11	U22	U33	U23	U13	U12
C (1)	90 (5)	88 (6)	57 (4)	-11 (3)	31 (4)	33 (4)
O (1)	63 (2)	40 (2)	50 (2)	-1 (2)	26 (2)	19 (2)
C (2)	47 (3)	33 (3)	48 (3)	0 (2)	22 (3)	8 (2)
O (2)	103 (3)	98 (4)	50 (2)	19 (2)	28 (2)	63 (3)
C (3)	37 (3)	20 (2)	42 (3)	3 (2)	20 (2)	3 (2)
N (4)	35 (2)	22 (2)	50 (2)	5 (2)	18 (2)	9 (2)
S (5)	34 (1)	26 (1)	38 (1)	-3 (1)	13 (1)	0 (1)
O (51)	40 (2)	31 (2)	37 (2)	-4 (2)	10 (1)	-1 (2)
O (52)	38 (2)	30 (2)	49 (2)	0 (2)	18 (2)	9 (2)
N (6)	35 (2)	25 (2)	33 (2)	-2 (2)	9 (2)	-5 (2)
N (7)	32 (2)	31 (2)	38 (2)	-3 (2)	9 (2)	1 (2)
C (8)	39 (3)	22 (2)	36 (3)	4 (2)	14 (2)	-6 (2)
O (8)	34 (2)	24 (2)	51 (2)	-4 (2)	12 (1)	3 (2)
C (9)	35 (2)	28 (3)	36 (2)	1 (2)	10 (2)	-2 (2)
N (10)	41 (2)	25 (2)	41 (2)	-5 (2)	18 (2)	-2 (2)
C (11)	38 (3)	28 (3)	59 (3)	-6 (2)	18 (2)	0 (2)
C (12)	65 (4)	47 (4)	50 (3)	6 (3)	27 (3)	14 (3)
C (13)	52 (3)	37 (3)	39 (3)	0 (2)	15 (2)	3 (3)
C (14)	30 (2)	30 (3)	40 (3)	-8 (2)	11 (2)	3 (2)
O (14)	38 (2)	20 (2)	54 (2)	-5 (2)	16 (1)	-3 (2)
O (15)	48 (2)	23 (2)	51 (2)	-8 (1)	27 (2)	-2 (2)
C (16)	44 (3)	32 (3)	43 (3)	-3 (2)	22 (2)	1 (2)
C (17)	67 (4)	35 (3)	44 (3)	4 (2)	17 (3)	-2 (3)
C (18)	42 (3)	57 (4)	53 (3)	-6 (3)	21 (3)	-3 (3)
C (19)	80 (4)	40 (4)	63 (4)	-5 (3)	46 (3)	4 (3)
C (31)	51 (3)	38 (3)	56 (3)	-13 (2)	28 (3)	-13 (2)
C (32)	45 (3)	44 (3)	62 (4)	9 (3)	10 (3)	-3 (3)
C (33)	69 (4)	24 (3)	182 (8)	11 (4)	76 (5)	5 (3)

Table 5. Bond lengths [Å] and angles [°] for C16 H30 N4 O7 S

C(1)-O(1)	1.444(7)	C(3)-N(4)-S(5)	122.0(3)
O(1)-C(2)	1.325(6)	O(52)-S(5)-O(51)	120.6(2)
C(2)-O(2)	1.194(6)	O(52)-S(5)-N(4)	106.6(2)
C(2)-C(3)	1.520(7)	O(51)-S(5)-N(4)	112.80(19)
C(3)-N(4)	1.453(5)	O(52)-S(5)-N(6)	106.5(2)
C(3)-C(31)	1.531(6)	O(51)-S(5)-N(6)	102.2(2)
N(4)-S(5)	1.603(4)	N(4)-S(5)-N(6)	107.2(2)
S(5)-O(52)	1.421(3)	N(7)-N(6)-S(5)	114.9(3)
S(5)-O(51)	1.428(3)	C(8)-N(7)-N(6)	121.3(4)
S(5)-N(6)	1.678(4)	O(8)-C(8)-N(7)	121.9(4)
N(6)-N(7)	1.387(5)	O(8)-C(8)-C(9)	123.7(4)
N(7)-C(8)	1.356(6)	N(7)-C(8)-C(9)	114.4(4)
C(8)-O(8)	1.221(5)	N(10)-C(9)-C(8)	109.4(4)
C(8)-C(9)	1.520(6)	N(10)-C(9)-C(13)	103.1(4)
C(9)-N(10)	1.467(6)	C(8)-C(9)-C(13)	112.5(4)
C(9)-C(13)	1.535(6)	C(14)-N(10)-C(9)	125.1(4)
N(10)-C(14)	1.334(6)	C(14)-N(10)-C(11)	121.9(4)
N(10)-C(11)	1.471(6)	C(9)-N(10)-C(11)	113.0(4)
C(11)-C(12)	1.529(7)	N(10)-C(11)-C(12)	103.0(4)
C(12)-C(13)	1.495(8)	C(13)-C(12)-C(11)	107.2(4)
C(14)-O(14)	1.242(6)	C(12)-C(13)-C(9)	104.3(4)
C(14)-O(15)	1.348(5)	O(14)-C(14)-N(10)	124.2(4)
O(15)-C(16)	1.460(6)	O(14)-C(14)-O(15)	124.4(4)
C(16)-C(18)	1.512(7)	N(10)-C(14)-O(15)	111.4(4)
C(16)-C(17)	1.528(7)	C(14)-O(15)-C(16)	121.6(4)
C(16)-C(19)	1.533(7)	O(15)-C(16)-C(18)	109.8(4)
C(31)-C(32)	1.509(7)	O(15)-C(16)-C(17)	110.9(4)
C(31)-C(33)	1.513(8)	C(18)-C(16)-C(17)	112.5(5)
		O(15)-C(16)-C(19)	101.5(4)
C(2)-O(1)-C(1)	116.9(4)	C(18)-C(16)-C(19)	111.6(5)
O(2)-C(2)-O(1)	122.7(5)	C(17)-C(16)-C(19)	110.0(4)
O(2)-C(2)-C(3)	125.6(5)	C(32)-C(31)-C(33)	112.1(4)
O(1)-C(2)-C(3)	111.7(4)	C(32)-C(31)-C(3)	113.4(4)
N(4)-C(3)-C(2)	107.8(4)	C(33)-C(31)-C(3)	111.0(5)
N(4)-C(3)-C(31)	113.0(4)		
C(2)-C(3)-C(31)	112.8(4)		

Table 6. Torsion angles [$^{\circ}$] for C16 H30 N4 O7 S.

C(1)-O(1)-C(2)-O(2)	1.9(9)
C(1)-O(1)-C(2)-C(3)	-179.5(5)
O(2)-C(2)-C(3)-N(4)	-20.3(7)
O(1)-C(2)-C(3)-N(4)	161.1(4)
O(2)-C(2)-C(3)-C(31)	105.1(7)
O(1)-C(2)-C(3)-C(31)	-73.4(5)
C(2)-C(3)-N(4)-S(5)	-144.5(4)
C(31)-C(3)-N(4)-S(5)	90.1(5)
C(3)-N(4)-S(5)-O(52)	-173.8(4)
C(3)-N(4)-S(5)-O(51)	-39.2(4)
C(3)-N(4)-S(5)-N(6)	72.5(4)
O(52)-S(5)-N(6)-N(7)	-62.6(4)
O(51)-S(5)-N(6)-N(7)	170.0(3)
N(4)-S(5)-N(6)-N(7)	51.2(4)
S(5)-N(6)-N(7)-C(8)	-107.8(4)
N(6)-N(7)-C(8)-O(8)	7.4(7)
N(6)-N(7)-C(8)-C(9)	-170.6(4)
O(8)-C(8)-C(9)-N(10)	-66.4(6)
N(7)-C(8)-C(9)-N(10)	111.6(4)
O(8)-C(8)-C(9)-C(13)	47.6(6)
N(7)-C(8)-C(9)-C(13)	-134.4(4)
C(8)-C(9)-N(10)-C(14)	-78.0(5)
C(13)-C(9)-N(10)-C(14)	162.1(4)
C(8)-C(9)-N(10)-C(11)	102.2(5)
C(13)-C(9)-N(10)-C(11)	-17.7(5)
C(14)-N(10)-C(11)-C(12)	179.9(4)
C(9)-N(10)-C(11)-C(12)	-0.3(5)
N(10)-C(11)-C(12)-C(13)	19.2(5)
C(11)-C(12)-C(13)-C(9)	-30.1(5)
N(10)-C(9)-C(13)-C(12)	28.7(5)
C(8)-C(9)-C(13)-C(12)	-89.1(5)
C(9)-N(10)-C(14)-O(14)	177.6(4)
C(11)-N(10)-C(14)-O(14)	-2.6(7)
C(9)-N(10)-C(14)-O(15)	-3.5(6)
C(11)-N(10)-C(14)-O(15)	176.2(4)
O(14)-C(14)-O(15)-C(16)	4.7(7)
N(10)-C(14)-O(15)-C(16)	-174.1(4)
C(14)-O(15)-C(16)-C(18)	61.8(6)
C(14)-O(15)-C(16)-C(17)	-63.1(6)
C(14)-O(15)-C(16)-C(19)	-179.9(4)
N(4)-C(3)-C(31)-C(32)	-168.9(4)
C(2)-C(3)-C(31)-C(32)	68.6(6)
N(4)-C(3)-C(31)-C(33)	63.9(6)
C(2)-C(3)-C(31)-C(33)	-58.6(6)

Table 7. Bond lengths [Å] and angles [°] related to the hydrogen bonding for C16 H30 N4 O7 S.

D-H	..A	d(D-H)	d(H..A)	d(D..A)	<DHA
N(4)-H(4)	O(8)#1	0.8800(1)	2.09(2)	2.944(5)	164(6)
N(6)-H(6)	O(51)#2	0.8800(1)	2.21(2)	3.049(5)	158(5)
N(7)-H(7)	O(14)#1	0.8801(1)	2.18(2)	2.966(5)	149(4)

Symmetry transformations used to generate equivalent atoms:

#1 $x, y-1, z$ #2 $-x, y+1/2, -z$

ORTEP view of the C16 H30 N4 O7 S compound with the numbering scheme adopted. Ellipsoids drawn at 30% probability level. Hydrogen atoms are represented by sphere of arbitrary size.

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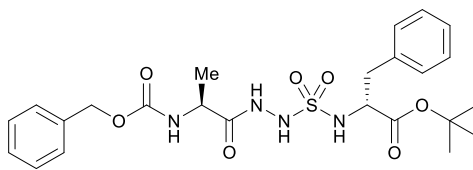
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CRYSTAL AND MOLECULAR STRUCTURE OF
C₂₄ H₃₂ N₄ O₇ S (COMPOUND 119)



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Table 1. Crystal data and structure refinement for C₂₄ H₃₂ N₄ O₇ S.

Identification code	lube60
Empirical formula	C ₂₄ H ₃₂ N ₄ O ₇ S
Formula weight	520.60
Temperature	100K
Wavelength	1.54178 Å
Crystal system	Monoclinic
Space group	P21
Unit cell dimensions	$a = 5.8703(1) \text{ Å}$ $\alpha = 90^\circ$ $b = 33.4244(6) \text{ Å}$ $\beta = 90.907(1)^\circ$ $c = 13.3371(3) \text{ Å}$ $\gamma = 90^\circ$
Volume	2616.56(9) Å ³
Z	4
Density (calculated)	1.322 g/cm ³
Absorption coefficient	1.524 mm ⁻¹
F(000)	1104
Crystal size	0.25 x 0.06 x 0.03 mm
Theta range for data collection	3.57 to 70.90°
Index ranges	$-7 \leq h \leq 7, -40 \leq k \leq 40, -16 \leq l \leq 15$
Reflections collected	50758
Independent reflections	9710 [R _{int} = 0.032]
Absorption correction	Semi-empirical from equivalents
Max. and min. transmission	0.9553 and 0.7897
Refinement method	Full-matrix least-squares on F ²
Data / restraints / parameters	9710 / 1 / 690
Goodness-of-fit on F ²	1.053
Final R indices [I > 2sigma(I)]	R ₁ = 0.0264, wR ₂ = 0.0684
R indices (all data)	R ₁ = 0.0269, wR ₂ = 0.0722

Absolute structure parameter 0.025(7)

Largest diff. peak and hole 0.238 and -0.228 e/Å³

Table 2. Atomic coordinates ($\times 10^4$) and equivalent isotropic displacement parameters ($\text{\AA}^2 \times 10^3$) for C24 H32 N4 O7 S.

U_{eq} is defined as one third of the trace of the orthogonalized U_{ij} tensor.

	x	y	z	U_{eq}
C(1)	1478(3)	-817(1)	10662(1)	32(1)
O(1)	2977(2)	-875(1)	9790(1)	25(1)
C(2)	2497(3)	-726(1)	8891(1)	22(1)
O(2)	774(2)	-554(1)	8634(1)	27(1)
C(3)	4501(3)	-803(1)	8214(1)	22(1)
N(4)	3986(2)	-610(1)	7246(1)	23(1)
S(5)	6033(1)	-396(1)	6649(1)	24(1)
O(5)	4938(2)	-181(1)	5846(1)	30(1)
O(6)	7769(2)	-682(1)	6470(1)	34(1)
N(6)	7353(2)	-56(1)	7356(1)	24(1)
N(7)	5959(2)	257(1)	7662(1)	23(1)
C(8)	5207(2)	281(1)	8610(1)	22(1)
O(8)	5585(2)	23(1)	9239(1)	26(1)
C(9)	3749(3)	648(1)	8839(1)	24(1)
N(10)	3909(2)	965(1)	8099(1)	25(1)
C(11)	5547(3)	1247(1)	8148(1)	24(1)
O(11)	7100(2)	1259(1)	8751(1)	30(1)
O(12)	5190(2)	1520(1)	7405(1)	30(1)
C(13)	6736(3)	1858(1)	7419(1)	34(1)
C(14)	6169(3)	2148(1)	8239(1)	28(1)
C(15)	7659(3)	2214(1)	9042(1)	32(1)
C(16)	7130(3)	2484(1)	9787(2)	37(1)
C(17)	5094(3)	2689(1)	9755(1)	36(1)
C(18)	3581(3)	2623(1)	8964(2)	39(1)
C(19)	4119(3)	2357(1)	8211(1)	36(1)
C(20)	-673(3)	-1066(1)	10526(2)	39(1)
C(21)	2968(3)	-976(1)	11506(1)	49(1)
C(22)	957(4)	-376(1)	10809(2)	47(1)
C(23)	5069(3)	-1252(1)	8100(1)	26(1)
C(24)	3093(3)	-1505(1)	7748(1)	24(1)
C(25)	1672(3)	-1693(1)	8429(1)	29(1)
C(26)	-159(3)	-1923(1)	8103(1)	33(1)
C(27)	-621(3)	-1968(1)	7091(2)	34(1)
C(28)	778(3)	-1783(1)	6402(1)	34(1)
C(29)	2616(3)	-1555(1)	6728(1)	30(1)
C(30)	1267(3)	514(1)	8908(1)	32(1)
C(31)	12226(3)	1542(1)	1598(1)	25(1)
O(31)	12640(2)	1351(1)	2594(1)	20(1)
C(32)	10965(2)	1294(1)	3225(1)	19(1)
O(32)	8982(2)	1383(1)	3104(1)	26(1)
C(33)	11878(2)	1096(1)	4184(1)	19(1)
N(34)	9940(2)	1062(1)	4855(1)	20(1)

S (35)	9717 (1)	697 (1)	5631 (1)	19 (1)
O (35)	7535 (2)	748 (1)	6071 (1)	26 (1)
O (36)	11735 (2)	673 (1)	6238 (1)	26 (1)
N (36)	9781 (3)	280 (1)	4983 (1)	30 (1)
N (37)	7892 (2)	202 (1)	4370 (1)	24 (1)
C (38)	8108 (2)	218 (1)	3365 (1)	21 (1)
O (38)	9838 (2)	334 (1)	2952 (1)	26 (1)
C (39)	6052 (2)	82 (1)	2740 (1)	20 (1)
N (40)	4103 (2)	-38 (1)	3322 (1)	20 (1)
C (41)	4000 (2)	-413 (1)	3720 (1)	20 (1)
O (41)	5600 (2)	-639 (1)	3776 (1)	26 (1)
O (42)	1889 (2)	-489 (1)	4053 (1)	25 (1)
C (43)	1685 (3)	-856 (1)	4652 (1)	29 (1)
C (44)	1437 (3)	-1227 (1)	4013 (1)	23 (1)
C (45)	-613 (3)	-1305 (1)	3509 (1)	29 (1)
C (46)	-857 (3)	-1645 (1)	2922 (2)	32 (1)
C (47)	937 (3)	-1911 (1)	2830 (1)	28 (1)
C (48)	2955 (3)	-1841 (1)	3345 (1)	26 (1)
C (49)	3213 (3)	-1498 (1)	3930 (1)	24 (1)
C (50)	11315 (3)	1963 (1)	1750 (1)	34 (1)
C (51)	14601 (3)	1551 (1)	1164 (1)	34 (1)
C (52)	10663 (3)	1277 (1)	973 (1)	31 (1)
C (53)	13913 (2)	1325 (1)	4645 (1)	21 (1)
C (54)	13572 (3)	1769 (1)	4806 (1)	23 (1)
C (55)	15127 (3)	2036 (1)	4410 (1)	34 (1)
C (56)	14911 (4)	2446 (1)	4583 (2)	45 (1)
C (57)	13120 (4)	2591 (1)	5116 (2)	42 (1)
C (58)	11550 (3)	2330 (1)	5500 (2)	41 (1)
C (59)	11776 (3)	1921 (1)	5358 (1)	34 (1)
C (60)	5390 (3)	419 (1)	2014 (1)	28 (1)

Table 3. Hydrogen coordinates ($\times 10^4$) and isotropic displacement parameters ($\text{\AA}^2 \times 10^3$) for C24 H32 N4 O7 S.

	x	y	z	U _{eq}
H(3)	5865	-667	8516	27
H(4)	2600(30)	-482(6)	7207(14)	21(4)
H(6)	8030(40)	-162(6)	7844(16)	26(5)
H(7)	5930(30)	458(7)	7281(15)	26(5)
H(9)	4242	758	9506	29
H(10)	2910(30)	970(6)	7630(16)	25(5)
H(13A)	6651	1997	6764	40
H(13B)	8316	1760	7521	40
H(15)	9060	2072	9079	38
H(16)	8176	2528	10326	44
H(17)	4732	2874	10269	43
H(18)	2168	2762	8938	47
H(19)	3078	2316	7668	43
H(20A)	-1519	-973	9931	59
H(20B)	-1625	-1037	11119	59
H(20C)	-262	-1347	10441	59
H(21A)	3406	-1253	11360	73
H(21B)	2125	-968	12135	73
H(21C)	4339	-810	11573	73
H(22A)	2331	-218	10687	70
H(22B)	455	-331	11497	70
H(22C)	-253	-294	10337	70
H(23A)	6323	-1280	7618	31
H(23B)	5624	-1355	8755	31
H(25)	1963	-1663	9128	35
H(26)	-1104	-2050	8579	39
H(27)	-1881	-2125	6869	41
H(28)	472	-1812	5705	41
H(29)	3566	-1431	6249	36
H(30A)	320	743	9097	47
H(30B)	1143	304	9415	47
H(30C)	748	411	8255	47
H(33)	12397	820	4012	23
H(34)	8710(30)	1120(6)	4591(14)	18(4)
H(36)	10790(40)	102(8)	5069(18)	44(6)
H(37)	6890(40)	81(7)	4630(16)	27(5)
H(39)	6530	-153	2331	24
H(40)	2920(30)	100(6)	3271(14)	20(4)
H(43A)	343	-832	5089	35
H(43B)	3053	-883	5091	35
H(45)	-1850	-1124	3568	35
H(46)	-2260	-1695	2580	38
H(47)	778	-2141	2416	34
H(48)	4173	-2026	3300	31
H(49)	4615	-1450	4274	28
H(50A)	9742	1949	1982	51
H(50B)	11356	2109	1113	51
H(50C)	12261	2102	2251	51

H (51A)	15609	1710	1603	51
H (51B)	14537	1673	496	51
H (51C)	15191	1278	1114	51
H (52A)	11322	1008	928	47
H (52B)	10488	1390	299	47
H (52C)	9170	1261	1289	47
H (53A)	14304	1201	5300	25
H (53B)	15238	1288	4205	25
H (55)	16347	1939	4018	41
H (56)	16018	2625	4329	54
H (57)	12962	2871	5219	50
H (58)	10297	2430	5866	49
H (59)	10698	1743	5641	41
H (60A)	4087	334	1598	41
H (60B)	6682	480	1584	41
H (60C)	4976	658	2396	41

Table 4. Anisotropic parameters ($\text{\AA}^2 \times 10^3$) for C24 H32 N4 O7 S.

The anisotropic displacement factor exponent takes the form:

$$-2 \pi^2 [h^2 a^{*2} U_{11} + \dots + 2 h k a^* b^* U_{12}]$$

	U11	U22	U33	U23	U13	U12
C (1)	28 (1)	51 (1)	17 (1)	0 (1)	4 (1)	-10 (1)
O (1)	27 (1)	32 (1)	16 (1)	3 (1)	1 (1)	-3 (1)
C (2)	28 (1)	20 (1)	17 (1)	-1 (1)	-2 (1)	-5 (1)
O (2)	27 (1)	32 (1)	23 (1)	0 (1)	0 (1)	2 (1)
C (3)	28 (1)	22 (1)	16 (1)	2 (1)	-2 (1)	-2 (1)
N (4)	31 (1)	21 (1)	16 (1)	1 (1)	0 (1)	0 (1)
S (5)	36 (1)	21 (1)	15 (1)	-1 (1)	5 (1)	0 (1)
O (5)	49 (1)	26 (1)	16 (1)	0 (1)	2 (1)	-3 (1)
O (6)	46 (1)	28 (1)	27 (1)	-2 (1)	13 (1)	4 (1)
N (6)	29 (1)	23 (1)	20 (1)	1 (1)	3 (1)	0 (1)
N (7)	30 (1)	21 (1)	18 (1)	0 (1)	3 (1)	-2 (1)
C (8)	20 (1)	24 (1)	21 (1)	-3 (1)	-2 (1)	-5 (1)
O (8)	34 (1)	28 (1)	18 (1)	2 (1)	3 (1)	2 (1)
C (9)	28 (1)	24 (1)	20 (1)	-3 (1)	0 (1)	-2 (1)
N (10)	28 (1)	22 (1)	25 (1)	-2 (1)	-7 (1)	-2 (1)
C (11)	28 (1)	22 (1)	22 (1)	-3 (1)	0 (1)	1 (1)
O (11)	29 (1)	29 (1)	32 (1)	-1 (1)	-6 (1)	-4 (1)
O (12)	40 (1)	23 (1)	28 (1)	1 (1)	-5 (1)	-5 (1)
C (13)	41 (1)	30 (1)	30 (1)	2 (1)	4 (1)	-8 (1)
C (14)	33 (1)	21 (1)	29 (1)	6 (1)	0 (1)	-8 (1)
C (15)	31 (1)	26 (1)	39 (1)	1 (1)	-6 (1)	-1 (1)
C (16)	40 (1)	34 (1)	37 (1)	-3 (1)	-10 (1)	-1 (1)
C (17)	39 (1)	32 (1)	37 (1)	-5 (1)	1 (1)	-2 (1)
C (18)	30 (1)	39 (1)	48 (1)	-1 (1)	-4 (1)	4 (1)
C (19)	34 (1)	37 (1)	36 (1)	1 (1)	-9 (1)	-2 (1)
C (20)	29 (1)	58 (1)	30 (1)	4 (1)	2 (1)	-12 (1)
C (21)	35 (1)	92 (2)	19 (1)	14 (1)	-1 (1)	-16 (1)
C (22)	54 (1)	54 (1)	33 (1)	-16 (1)	17 (1)	-12 (1)
C (23)	30 (1)	23 (1)	25 (1)	3 (1)	0 (1)	2 (1)
C (24)	33 (1)	17 (1)	23 (1)	2 (1)	2 (1)	3 (1)
C (25)	38 (1)	25 (1)	24 (1)	3 (1)	4 (1)	1 (1)
C (26)	36 (1)	26 (1)	36 (1)	5 (1)	5 (1)	-2 (1)
C (27)	37 (1)	26 (1)	40 (1)	0 (1)	-4 (1)	-3 (1)
C (28)	48 (1)	27 (1)	27 (1)	-2 (1)	-4 (1)	-2 (1)
C (29)	41 (1)	24 (1)	24 (1)	2 (1)	5 (1)	-2 (1)
C (30)	26 (1)	31 (1)	38 (1)	-3 (1)	3 (1)	0 (1)
C (31)	23 (1)	32 (1)	19 (1)	6 (1)	2 (1)	3 (1)
O (31)	16 (1)	26 (1)	19 (1)	3 (1)	2 (1)	1 (1)
C (32)	18 (1)	19 (1)	20 (1)	-2 (1)	1 (1)	-1 (1)
O (32)	18 (1)	34 (1)	26 (1)	3 (1)	0 (1)	3 (1)
C (33)	16 (1)	20 (1)	21 (1)	1 (1)	3 (1)	0 (1)
N (34)	16 (1)	22 (1)	23 (1)	2 (1)	1 (1)	2 (1)
S (35)	19 (1)	20 (1)	17 (1)	1 (1)	0 (1)	0 (1)
O (35)	26 (1)	26 (1)	25 (1)	4 (1)	6 (1)	2 (1)
O (36)	27 (1)	28 (1)	24 (1)	1 (1)	-7 (1)	-1 (1)

N(36)	28(1)	27(1)	35(1)	-8(1)	-13(1)	8(1)
N(37)	23(1)	25(1)	24(1)	-2(1)	-4(1)	-3(1)
C(38)	18(1)	16(1)	28(1)	-1(1)	-1(1)	3(1)
O(38)	16(1)	29(1)	35(1)	3(1)	1(1)	0(1)
C(39)	16(1)	22(1)	22(1)	-2(1)	3(1)	0(1)
N(40)	14(1)	18(1)	27(1)	0(1)	2(1)	2(1)
C(41)	20(1)	21(1)	19(1)	-4(1)	3(1)	0(1)
O(41)	25(1)	21(1)	31(1)	0(1)	3(1)	6(1)
O(42)	24(1)	19(1)	31(1)	1(1)	10(1)	-1(1)
C(43)	42(1)	21(1)	25(1)	2(1)	15(1)	-3(1)
C(44)	29(1)	19(1)	21(1)	5(1)	11(1)	-2(1)
C(45)	21(1)	23(1)	44(1)	7(1)	10(1)	2(1)
C(46)	22(1)	30(1)	43(1)	4(1)	0(1)	-5(1)
C(47)	32(1)	21(1)	32(1)	-1(1)	1(1)	-3(1)
C(48)	27(1)	23(1)	29(1)	2(1)	4(1)	5(1)
C(49)	25(1)	24(1)	22(1)	5(1)	0(1)	-1(1)
C(50)	36(1)	30(1)	36(1)	9(1)	1(1)	6(1)
C(51)	28(1)	48(1)	28(1)	11(1)	5(1)	0(1)
C(52)	26(1)	45(1)	23(1)	-3(1)	-2(1)	3(1)
C(53)	15(1)	26(1)	22(1)	1(1)	-1(1)	0(1)
C(54)	22(1)	25(1)	23(1)	0(1)	-8(1)	-2(1)
C(55)	31(1)	31(1)	40(1)	3(1)	-2(1)	-4(1)
C(56)	51(1)	31(1)	54(1)	8(1)	-11(1)	-14(1)
C(57)	49(1)	24(1)	51(1)	-5(1)	-24(1)	2(1)
C(58)	40(1)	36(1)	48(1)	-15(1)	-8(1)	4(1)
C(59)	33(1)	32(1)	39(1)	-8(1)	3(1)	-2(1)
C(60)	24(1)	34(1)	25(1)	6(1)	-3(1)	-5(1)

Table 5. Bond lengths [Å] and angles [°] for C24 H32 N4 O7 S

C(1)-O(1)	1.483(2)	C(39)-N(40)	1.4501(19)
C(1)-C(21)	1.511(3)	C(39)-C(60)	1.529(2)
C(1)-C(22)	1.519(3)	N(40)-C(41)	1.361(2)
C(1)-C(20)	1.520(2)	C(41)-O(41)	1.2085(19)
O(1)-C(2)	1.3238(19)	C(41)-O(42)	1.3477(18)
C(2)-O(2)	1.209(2)	O(42)-C(43)	1.4686(19)
C(2)-C(3)	1.516(2)	C(43)-C(44)	1.512(2)
C(3)-N(4)	1.4704(18)	C(44)-C(49)	1.387(2)
C(3)-C(23)	1.545(2)	C(44)-C(45)	1.394(2)
N(4)-S(5)	1.6183(14)	C(45)-C(46)	1.385(3)
S(5)-O(6)	1.4211(13)	C(46)-C(47)	1.386(2)
S(5)-O(5)	1.4327(12)	C(47)-C(48)	1.380(2)
S(5)-N(6)	1.6620(14)	C(48)-C(49)	1.392(2)
N(6)-N(7)	1.3929(19)	C(53)-C(54)	1.513(2)
N(7)-C(8)	1.349(2)	C(54)-C(55)	1.387(2)
C(8)-O(8)	1.221(2)	C(54)-C(59)	1.392(2)
C(8)-C(9)	1.530(2)	C(55)-C(56)	1.396(3)
C(9)-N(10)	1.452(2)	C(56)-C(57)	1.368(3)
C(9)-C(30)	1.528(2)	C(57)-C(58)	1.375(3)
N(10)-C(11)	1.347(2)	C(58)-C(59)	1.386(3)
C(11)-O(11)	1.208(2)		
C(11)-O(12)	1.360(2)	O(1)-C(1)-C(21)	101.26(15)
O(12)-C(13)	1.449(2)	O(1)-C(1)-C(22)	110.57(15)
C(13)-C(14)	1.502(2)	C(21)-C(1)-C(22)	111.16(18)
C(14)-C(15)	1.390(2)	O(1)-C(1)-C(20)	109.68(14)
C(14)-C(19)	1.392(3)	C(21)-C(1)-C(20)	111.53(16)
C(15)-C(16)	1.380(3)	C(22)-C(1)-C(20)	112.13(17)
C(16)-C(17)	1.379(3)	C(2)-O(1)-C(1)	122.74(13)
C(17)-C(18)	1.386(3)	O(2)-C(2)-O(1)	126.99(15)
C(18)-C(19)	1.382(3)	O(2)-C(2)-C(3)	124.37(14)
C(23)-C(24)	1.505(2)	O(1)-C(2)-C(3)	108.65(13)
C(24)-C(25)	1.393(2)	N(4)-C(3)-C(2)	107.36(12)
C(24)-C(29)	1.395(2)	N(4)-C(3)-C(23)	112.42(13)
C(25)-C(26)	1.385(3)	C(2)-C(3)-C(23)	113.18(13)
C(26)-C(27)	1.381(3)	C(3)-N(4)-S(5)	118.82(11)
C(27)-C(28)	1.388(3)	O(6)-S(5)-O(5)	121.77(7)
C(28)-C(29)	1.385(3)	O(6)-S(5)-N(4)	109.01(7)
C(31)-O(31)	1.4898(18)	O(5)-S(5)-N(4)	105.14(7)
C(31)-C(52)	1.515(2)	O(6)-S(5)-N(6)	103.13(8)
C(31)-C(51)	1.519(2)	O(5)-S(5)-N(6)	106.28(7)
C(31)-C(50)	1.521(2)	N(4)-S(5)-N(6)	111.47(7)
O(31)-C(32)	1.3176(18)	N(7)-N(6)-S(5)	114.16(11)
C(32)-O(32)	1.2094(18)	C(8)-N(7)-N(6)	121.41(14)
C(32)-C(33)	1.531(2)	O(8)-C(8)-N(7)	122.99(15)
C(33)-N(34)	1.4627(19)	O(8)-C(8)-C(9)	121.71(14)
C(33)-C(53)	1.538(2)	N(7)-C(8)-C(9)	115.26(13)
N(34)-S(35)	1.6076(13)	N(10)-C(9)-C(30)	109.04(13)
S(35)-O(36)	1.4262(10)	N(10)-C(9)-C(8)	114.07(13)
S(35)-O(35)	1.4275(11)	C(30)-C(9)-C(8)	108.30(13)
S(35)-N(36)	1.6416(14)	C(11)-N(10)-C(9)	122.14(13)
N(36)-N(37)	1.3919(19)	O(11)-C(11)-N(10)	125.89(15)
N(37)-C(38)	1.350(2)	O(11)-C(11)-O(12)	124.71(15)
C(38)-O(38)	1.2255(19)	N(10)-C(11)-O(12)	109.40(13)
C(38)-C(39)	1.5244(19)	C(11)-O(12)-C(13)	115.03(13)

O(12)-C(13)-C(14)	111.52(14)	O(35)-S(35)-N(36)	110.28(8)
C(15)-C(14)-C(19)	118.27(17)	N(34)-S(35)-N(36)	107.68(7)
C(15)-C(14)-C(13)	121.33(16)	N(37)-N(36)-S(35)	116.36(11)
C(19)-C(14)-C(13)	120.40(16)	C(38)-N(37)-N(36)	119.28(14)
C(16)-C(15)-C(14)	120.87(17)	O(38)-C(38)-N(37)	123.36(14)
C(17)-C(16)-C(15)	120.53(17)	O(38)-C(38)-C(39)	120.20(14)
C(16)-C(17)-C(18)	119.26(18)	N(37)-C(38)-C(39)	116.44(13)
C(19)-C(18)-C(17)	120.28(18)	N(40)-C(39)-C(38)	114.47(13)
C(18)-C(19)-C(14)	120.78(17)	N(40)-C(39)-C(60)	110.38(12)
C(24)-C(23)-C(3)	114.22(13)	C(38)-C(39)-C(60)	108.64(12)
C(25)-C(24)-C(29)	117.97(15)	C(41)-N(40)-C(39)	120.29(12)
C(25)-C(24)-C(23)	121.11(15)	O(41)-C(41)-O(42)	125.29(15)
C(29)-C(24)-C(23)	120.91(15)	O(41)-C(41)-N(40)	124.19(14)
C(26)-C(25)-C(24)	120.99(16)	O(42)-C(41)-N(40)	110.51(12)
C(27)-C(26)-C(25)	120.52(17)	C(41)-O(42)-C(43)	114.96(12)
C(26)-C(27)-C(28)	119.23(17)	O(42)-C(43)-C(44)	112.67(13)
C(29)-C(28)-C(27)	120.29(16)	C(49)-C(44)-C(45)	118.96(15)
C(28)-C(29)-C(24)	121.00(16)	C(49)-C(44)-C(43)	121.05(15)
O(31)-C(31)-C(52)	109.21(13)	C(45)-C(44)-C(43)	119.97(15)
O(31)-C(31)-C(51)	102.19(12)	C(46)-C(45)-C(44)	120.40(15)
C(52)-C(31)-C(51)	110.76(14)	C(45)-C(46)-C(47)	120.32(16)
O(31)-C(31)-C(50)	109.34(13)	C(48)-C(47)-C(46)	119.55(16)
C(52)-C(31)-C(50)	113.75(14)	C(47)-C(48)-C(49)	120.32(15)
C(51)-C(31)-C(50)	110.94(15)	C(44)-C(49)-C(48)	120.43(15)
C(32)-O(31)-C(31)	121.15(11)	C(54)-C(53)-C(33)	116.10(12)
O(32)-C(32)-O(31)	127.31(14)	C(55)-C(54)-C(59)	118.33(16)
O(32)-C(32)-C(33)	122.77(14)	C(55)-C(54)-C(53)	119.20(15)
O(31)-C(32)-C(33)	109.92(12)	C(59)-C(54)-C(53)	122.45(15)
N(34)-C(33)-C(32)	106.23(11)	C(54)-C(55)-C(56)	120.43(19)
N(34)-C(33)-C(53)	113.58(12)	C(57)-C(56)-C(55)	120.5(2)
C(32)-C(33)-C(53)	112.21(12)	C(56)-C(57)-C(58)	119.52(18)
C(33)-N(34)-S(35)	121.61(10)	C(57)-C(58)-C(59)	120.62(19)
O(36)-S(35)-O(35)	121.08(7)	C(58)-C(59)-C(54)	120.51(18)
O(36)-S(35)-N(34)	109.42(7)		
O(35)-S(35)-N(34)	104.83(7)		
O(36)-S(35)-N(36)	103.02(7)		

Table 6. Torsion angles [$^{\circ}$] for C24 H32 N4 O7 S.

C(21)-C(1)-O(1)-C(2)	-170.37(16)	C(51)-C(31)-O(31)-C(32)	178.57(14)
C(22)-C(1)-O(1)-C(2)	-52.5(2)	C(50)-C(31)-O(31)-C(32)	60.97(18)
C(20)-C(1)-O(1)-C(2)	71.7(2)	C(31)-O(31)-C(32)-O(32)	0.0(2)
C(1)-O(1)-C(2)-O(2)	-5.7(2)	C(31)-O(31)-C(32)-C(33)	-179.68(12)
C(1)-O(1)-C(2)-C(3)	173.82(13)	O(32)-C(32)-C(33)-N(34)	-2.24(19)
O(2)-C(2)-C(3)-N(4)	3.4(2)	O(31)-C(32)-C(33)-N(34)	177.43(12)
O(1)-C(2)-C(3)-N(4)	-176.12(12)	O(32)-C(32)-C(33)-C(53)	-126.92(15)
O(2)-C(2)-C(3)-C(23)	-121.23(16)	O(31)-C(32)-C(33)-C(53)	52.75(16)
O(1)-C(2)-C(3)-C(23)	59.22(16)	C(32)-C(33)-N(34)-S(35)	147.56(11)
C(2)-C(3)-N(4)-S(5)	142.55(11)	C(53)-C(33)-N(34)-S(35)	-88.62(14)
C(23)-C(3)-N(4)-S(5)	-92.34(14)	C(33)-N(34)-S(35)-O(36)	54.20(13)
C(3)-N(4)-S(5)-O(6)	57.68(13)	C(33)-N(34)-S(35)-O(35)	-174.52(11)
C(3)-N(4)-S(5)-O(5)	-170.24(11)	C(33)-N(34)-S(35)-N(36)	-57.09(13)
C(3)-N(4)-S(5)-N(6)	-55.50(13)	O(36)-S(35)-N(36)-N(37)	174.83(12)
O(6)-S(5)-N(6)-N(7)	-178.19(11)	O(35)-S(35)-N(36)-N(37)	44.26(15)
O(5)-S(5)-N(6)-N(7)	52.66(12)	N(34)-S(35)-N(36)-N(37)	-69.57(14)
N(4)-S(5)-N(6)-N(7)	-61.37(13)	S(35)-N(36)-N(37)-C(38)	110.67(15)
S(5)-N(6)-N(7)-C(8)	105.09(14)	N(36)-N(37)-C(38)-O(38)	-7.0(2)
N(6)-N(7)-C(8)-O(8)	-4.1(2)	N(36)-N(37)-C(38)-C(39)	173.23(13)
N(6)-N(7)-C(8)-C(9)	178.27(13)	O(38)-C(38)-C(39)-N(40)	-178.52(13)
O(8)-C(8)-C(9)-N(10)	166.40(14)	N(37)-C(38)-C(39)-N(40)	1.25(19)
N(7)-C(8)-C(9)-N(10)	-15.98(19)	O(38)-C(38)-C(39)-C(60)	-54.65(18)
O(8)-C(8)-C(9)-C(30)	-71.98(18)	N(37)-C(38)-C(39)-C(60)	125.12(14)
N(7)-C(8)-C(9)-C(30)	105.64(15)	C(38)-C(39)-N(40)-C(41)	-81.93(17)
C(30)-C(9)-N(10)-C(11)	152.29(15)	C(60)-C(39)-N(40)-C(41)	155.14(13)
C(8)-C(9)-N(10)-C(11)	-86.51(18)	C(39)-N(40)-C(41)-O(41)	13.4(2)
C(9)-N(10)-C(11)-O(11)	4.3(3)	C(39)-N(40)-C(41)-O(42)	-167.71(12)
C(9)-N(10)-C(11)-O(12)	-175.78(13)	O(41)-C(41)-O(42)-C(43)	9.1(2)
O(11)-C(11)-O(12)-C(13)	-4.7(2)	N(40)-C(41)-O(42)-C(43)	-169.77(12)
N(10)-C(11)-O(12)-C(13)	175.43(14)	C(41)-O(42)-C(43)-C(44)	-82.36(18)
C(11)-O(12)-C(13)-C(14)	-74.89(18)	O(42)-C(43)-C(44)-C(49)	107.22(17)
O(12)-C(13)-C(14)-C(15)	114.60(17)	O(42)-C(43)-C(44)-C(45)	-73.80(19)
O(12)-C(13)-C(14)-C(19)	-65.3(2)	C(49)-C(44)-C(45)-C(46)	-0.9(2)
C(19)-C(14)-C(15)-C(16)	-0.6(3)	C(43)-C(44)-C(45)-C(46)	-179.95(15)
C(13)-C(14)-C(15)-C(16)	179.49(17)	C(44)-C(45)-C(46)-C(47)	0.0(3)
C(14)-C(15)-C(16)-C(17)	0.7(3)	C(45)-C(46)-C(47)-C(48)	1.4(3)
C(15)-C(16)-C(17)-C(18)	-0.1(3)	C(46)-C(47)-C(48)-C(49)	-1.8(2)
C(16)-C(17)-C(18)-C(19)	-0.6(3)	C(45)-C(44)-C(49)-C(48)	0.5(2)
C(17)-C(18)-C(19)-C(14)	0.7(3)	C(43)-C(44)-C(49)-C(48)	179.47(14)
C(15)-C(14)-C(19)-C(18)	-0.1(3)	C(47)-C(48)-C(49)-C(44)	0.9(2)
C(13)-C(14)-C(19)-C(18)	179.79(17)	N(34)-C(33)-C(53)-C(54)	-69.13(17)
N(4)-C(3)-C(23)-C(24)	-66.92(18)	C(32)-C(33)-C(53)-C(54)	51.38(17)
C(2)-C(3)-C(23)-C(24)	54.94(18)	C(33)-C(53)-C(54)-C(55)	-126.35(15)
C(3)-C(23)-C(24)-C(25)	-92.16(18)	C(33)-C(53)-C(54)-C(59)	55.2(2)
C(3)-C(23)-C(24)-C(29)	87.13(19)	C(59)-C(54)-C(55)-C(56)	1.3(3)
C(29)-C(24)-C(25)-C(26)	0.0(2)	C(53)-C(54)-C(55)-C(56)	-177.18(16)
C(23)-C(24)-C(25)-C(26)	179.33(15)	C(54)-C(55)-C(56)-C(57)	-2.3(3)
C(24)-C(25)-C(26)-C(27)	-0.3(3)	C(55)-C(56)-C(57)-C(58)	1.4(3)
C(25)-C(26)-C(27)-C(28)	0.3(3)	C(56)-C(57)-C(58)-C(59)	0.5(3)
C(26)-C(27)-C(28)-C(29)	0.1(3)	C(57)-C(58)-C(59)-C(54)	-1.4(3)
C(27)-C(28)-C(29)-C(24)	-0.4(3)	C(55)-C(54)-C(59)-C(58)	0.5(3)
C(25)-C(24)-C(29)-C(28)	0.3(2)	C(53)-C(54)-C(59)-C(58)	178.96(16)
C(23)-C(24)-C(29)-C(28)	-178.97(16)		
C(52)-C(31)-O(31)-C(32)	-64.08(17)		

Table 7. Bond lengths [Å] and angles [°] related to the hydrogen bonding for C24 H32 N4 O7 S.

D-H	..A	d(D-H)	d(H..A)	d(D..A)	<DHA
N(6)-H(6)	O(2)#1	0.84(2)	2.32(2)	3.0987(18)	155.8(19)
N(7)-H(7)	O(35)	0.84(2)	2.12(2)	2.8484(18)	145.1(18)
N(10)-H(10)	O(36)#2	0.85(2)	2.21(2)	2.9407(17)	144.6(18)
N(36)-H(36)	O(42)#1	0.84(3)	2.49(3)	3.1187(18)	132(2)
N(37)-H(37)	O(5)	0.80(2)	2.18(2)	2.9375(19)	158(2)
N(40)-H(40)	O(38)#2	0.84(2)	2.01(2)	2.8314(17)	167.3(18)

Symmetry transformations used to generate equivalent atoms:

#1 x+1,y,z #2 x-1,y,z

ORTEP view of the C24 H32 N4 O7 S compound with the numbering scheme adopted. Ellipsoids drawn at 30% probability level. Hydrogen atoms are represented by sphere of arbitrary size.

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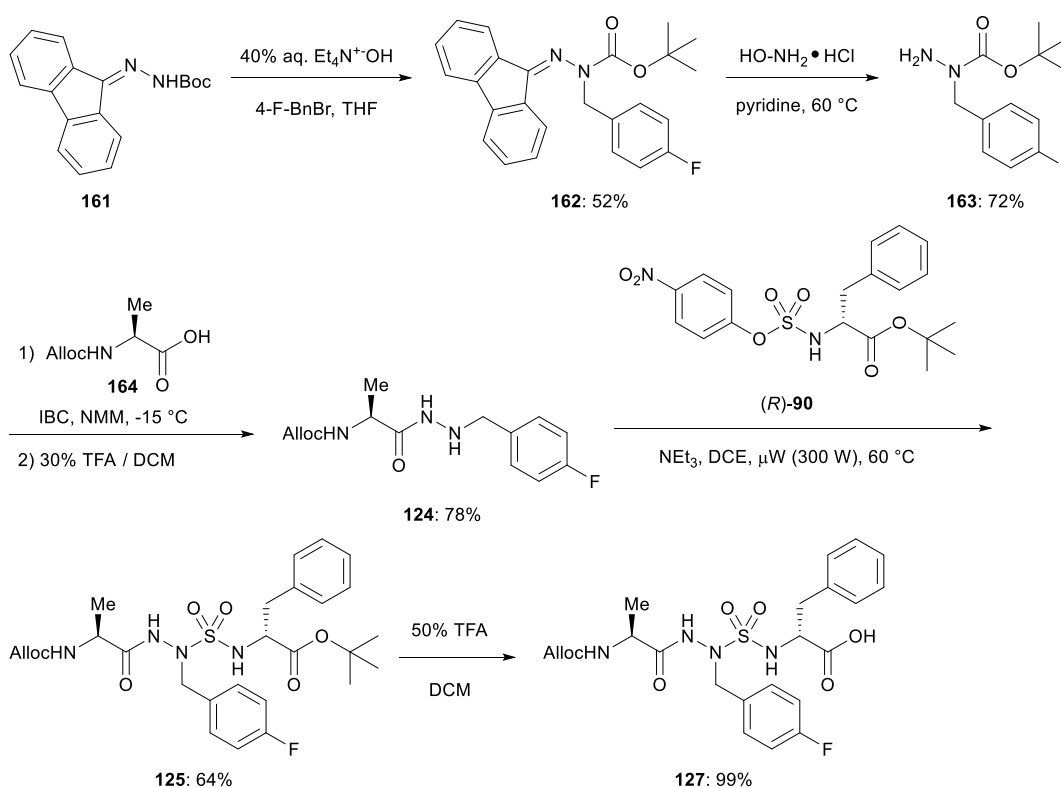
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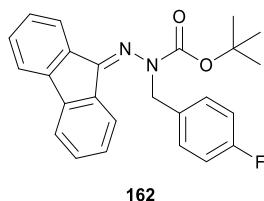
General Methods

The 4-nitrophenyl sulfamidate of D-phenylalanine *tert*-butyl ester [(*R*)-**90**],⁹¹ *N*-(Boc)-alaninyl-azasulfurylglycinyl-D-phenylalanine *tert*-butyl ester [(*S,R*)-**101**],⁹¹ *tert*-butyl 3-fluorenylidene carbazate (**161**),⁸² alloc-alanine (**164**),¹⁶⁰ 2-phenyl-2-propanol (**174**),¹⁶¹ 2,4-Dimethoxybenzyl alcohol (**176**),¹⁶² and 4-nitrophenyl chlorosulfate (**51**),⁹⁰ all were synthesized according to literature methods. *Iso*-butyl chloroformate, 4-methylmorpholine, *tert*-butyl carbazate (**81**), potassium carbonate, 4-fluorobenzyl bromide, triethylamine, 40% tetraethylammonium hydroxide in water, *N,N*-di-*iso*-propylethylamine, allyl and benzyl chloroformates (**173** and **175** respectively), hydrazine hydrate, sodium hydroxide (NaOH, pellets), dicyclohexylcarbodiimide (DCC), 4-hydroxybenzaldehyde (**179**), imidazole, *tert*-butyldimethylsilyl chloride (TBDMSCl), and sodium borohydride (NaBH₄), all were purchased from Aldrich® and used as received. Benzyl bromide was purchased from Aldrich® and filtered through a small plug of silica gel prior to use. Phosphorus tribromide (PBr₃) was purchased from Aldrich® and vacuum distilled prior to use. Fmoc-alanine (**166**), Fmoc-D- (*R*)-**172** and L-Trp(Boc) (*S*)-**172**, and hydroxybenzotriazole (HOBt), all were purchased from GL Biochem® (Shanghai, China) Ltd. *O*-(Benzotriazol-1-yl)-*N,N,N',N'*-tetramethyluronium tetrafluoroborate (TBTU) was purchased from Albatross®. 1,2-Dichloroethane (DCE), trifluoroacetic acid (TFA), 1,4-dioxane, Fmoc-OSu, sulfuric acid and *tert*-butyl acetate were respectively purchased from Aldrich®, A&C Chemicals®, J. T. Baker®, GenScript® Corporation, A&C Chemicals® and Aldrich®, and used as received. Anhydrous solvents [tetrahydrofuran (THF) and dichloromethane (DCM)] were obtained by passage through a solvent filtration system (GlassContour®, Irvine, CA). Ethyl acetate (EtOAc) and hexanes were purchased from Fisher Chemical® and fractionally distilled prior to use. Microwave irradiation was accomplished using a 300 MW Biotage® apparatus on the high-absorption level; temperature was monitored automatically. Flash chromatography¹⁵⁸ was performed on 230–400 mesh silica gel, and thin-layer chromatography was performed on silica gel 60 F254 plates from Merck®. Melting points were measured using a Gallenkamp® apparatus and are uncorrected. Specific rotations, [α]_D values, were calculated from optical rotations measured at 20 °C in CHCl₃ or MeOH at the

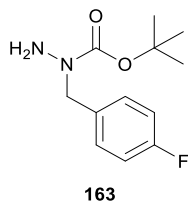
specified concentrations (c in g/100 mL) using a 1-dm cell (l) on a PerkinElmer Polarimeter 341, using the general formula: $[\alpha]^{20}_D = (100 \times \alpha)/(l \times c)$. Accurate mass measurements were performed on a LC-MS instrument from Agilent technologies in positive electrospray ionisation (ESI) mode at the Université de Montréal Mass Spectrometry facility. Sodium and proton adducts ($[M+Na]^+$ and $[M+H]^+$) were used for empirical formula confirmation. 1H NMR spectra were measured in $CDCl_3$ (7.26 ppm) or CD_3OD (3.34 ppm). ^{13}C NMR spectra were measured in $CDCl_3$ (77.36 ppm) or CD_3OD (49.86 ppm). Coupling constant J values are measured in Hertz (Hz) and chemical shift values are reported in parts per million (ppm). When distinguishable, the proton and carbon resonances for the minor isomer are respectively reported in brackets and parentheses. Infrared spectra were recorded in the neat on an ATR Bruker® apparatus.

Scheme 1. Synthesis of *N*-(Alloc)-Alaninyl-azasulfuryl-4-fluorophenylalaninyl-D-phenylalanine (127)



***tert*-Butyl *N*-(4-fluorobenzyl)fluorenylidene carbazate (**162**)**

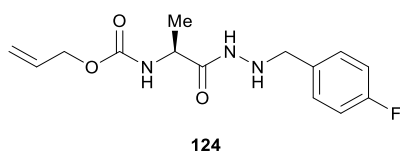
tert-Butyl 3-fluorenylidene carbazate (**161**; 3 g, 10.2 mmol, prepared according to reference 82) was dissolved in 40 mL of anhydrous THF at 0 °C, treated with 40% tetraethylammonium hydroxide in H₂O (5.49 mL, 15.3 mmol), stirred for 30 min, and treated with 4-fluorobenzyl bromide (3.26 mL, 15.3 mmol). The ice bath was removed, and the mixture was allowed to warm to room temperature, stirred for 16 h, treated with CH₂Cl₂, extracted twice with H₂O, dried with MgSO₄, filtered, and evaporated. The residue was purified by flash chromatography using EtOAc:hexane 1:4 as the solvent system. Evaporation of the collected fractions gave carbazate **162** as a yellow solid (2.56 g, 52% yield): *R*_f 0.61 (4:1 hexane/EtOAc); mp 140 °C; ¹H NMR (CDCl₃, 400 MHz) δ 1.31 (9H, s), 4.99 (2H, s), 7.10-7.30 (4H, m), 7.30-7.45 (4H, m), 7.51 (1H, d, *J* = 11.0), 7.54 (1H, d, *J* = 11.1), 7.73 (1H, d, *J* = 10.2), 7.84 (1H, d, *J* = 10.0); ¹³C NMR (CDCl₃, 75 MHz) δ: 28.5, 56.3, 82.1, 120.1 (d, *J*-¹⁹F = 22.5), 123.4, 127.8 (d, *J*-¹⁹F = 41.0), 128.43, 128.45, 128.6, 131.58, 131.85 (d, *J*-¹⁹F = 41.1), 137.1, 139.9 (d, *J*-¹⁹F = 214.5), 142.9, 152.9; HRMS (ESI) *m/z* calculated for C₂₅H₂₄FN₂O₂ [M+H]⁺ 403.1744; found 403.1816.

***tert*-Butyl *N*-(4-fluorobenzyl)carbazate (**163**)**

tert-Butyl *N*-(4-fluorobenzyl)fluorenylidene carbazate (**162**, 2.52 g, 6.27 mmol) was treated with a solution of hydroxylamine hydrochloride (1.7 g, 25.11 mmol) in pyridine (17 mL) at 60 °C for 12 h. The volatiles were evaporated and the residue was purified by flash chromatography eluting with EtOAc:Hexane 1:9. Carbazate **163** was obtained as an oil (1.08 g,

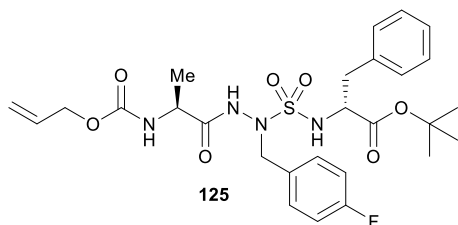
72% yield): *R_f* 0.1 (hexane:EtOAc 4:1); ¹H NMR (CDCl₃, 400 MHz) δ 1.46 (9H, s), 3.96 (2H, br), 4.48 (2H, s), 6.90-7.05 (2H, m), 7.15-7.30 (2H, m); ¹³C NMR (CDCl₃, 75 MHz) δ 29.0, 54.0, 81.2, 115.6 (d, *J*-¹⁹F = 21.2), 129.9 (d, *J*-¹⁹F = 8.0), 134.1 (d, *J*-¹⁹F = 3.2), 157.0, 162.5 (d, *J*-¹⁹F = 243.8); HRMS (ESI) *m/z* calculated for C₁₂H₁₈FN₂O₂ [M+H]⁺ 241.1274; found 241.1346.

N-(Alloc)-alanine-*N'*-4-fluorobenzylhydrazide (**124**)



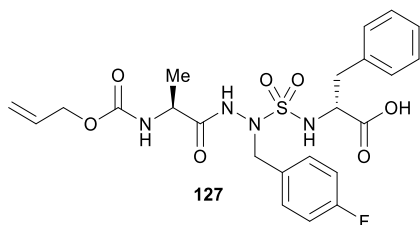
A solution of *N*-(Alloc)-alanine (**164**, 945 mg, 5.42 mmol, prepared according to reference 160) in THF (25 mL) was cooled to −15°C, treated slowly with *iso*-butyl chloroformate (700 μL, 5.42 mmol) and *N*-methylmorpholine (750 μL, 6.75 mmol), stirred for 15 min and treated slowly with a solution of *tert*-butyl *N*-(4-fluorobenzyl)carbazate (**163**, 1.08 g, 4.42 mmol) in THF (25 mL). After stirring for 3 h at −15°C, the volatiles were evaporated to a residue, which was used without further purification. The residue (450 mg, 1.14 mmol) in DCM (7 mL) was treated with trifluoroacetic acid (3 mL) and stirred for 3 h. The volatiles were evaporated, the residue was dissolved in DCM (20 mL), evaporated and dissolved in DCM (20 mL) and evaporated twice more. The residue was dissolved in EtOAc (30 mL), treated with K₂CO₃ (15 mL) and H₂O (10 mL), dried over MgSO₄, filtered and evaporated to afford **124** as a white powder (321 mg, 78%): mp 96 °C; [*α*]_D²⁰ −36.8° (CHCl₃, *c* 1.5); ¹H NMR (CDCl₃, 500 MHz) δ 1.29 (3H, d, *J* = 7.0), 3.87 (2H, s), 4.10-4.20 (1H, m), 4.30-4.40 (1H, br), 4.40-4.55 (2H, m), 5.17 (1H, dd, *J* = 1.5, 10.5), 5.25 (1H, dd, *J* = 1.5, 17.0), 5.54 (1H, d, *J* = 7.5), 5.80-5.90 (1H, m), 6.90-7.00 (2H, m), 7.20-7.30 (2H, m), 8.10 (1H, br); ¹³C NMR (CDCl₃, 125 MHz) δ 18.7, 49.4, 55.2, 66.3, 115.6 (d, *J*-¹⁹F = 21.2), 118.4, 131.0 (d, *J*-¹⁹F = 8.0), 132.7, 133.3 (d, *J*-¹⁹F = 2.6), 156.2, 162.6 (d, *J*-¹⁹F = 244.4), 172.4; HRMS (ESI) *m/z* calculated for C₁₄H₁₉FN₃O₃ [M+H]⁺ 296,1332; found 296,1405.

***N*-(Alloc)-alaninyl-azasulfuryl-4-fluorophenylalaninyl-D-phenylalanine *tert*-butyl ester (125)**



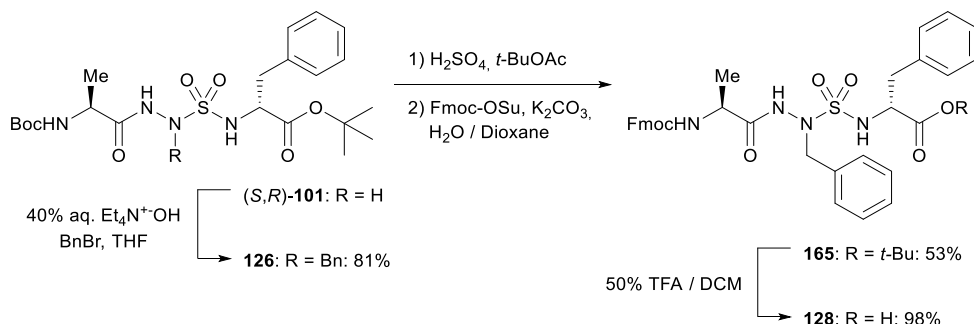
N-(Alloc)-alanine *N'*-4-fluorobenzylhydrazide (**124**, 267 mg, 0.91 mmol) was added to a microwave vessel containing a solution of sulfamidate (*R*)-**90** (340 mg, 0.72 mmol, prepared according to reference 91) in DCE (1 mL). The mixture was treated with NEt₃ (126 μ L, 0.91 mmol), at which point the solution turned yellow. The vessel was sealed and heated to 60 °C using microwave irradiation for 2.5 h. The volatiles were evaporated. The residue was purified by flash chromatography eluting with a solution of 7:3 Et₂O:petroleum ether. The collected fractions were evaporated to a residue, which was dissolved in DCM (25 mL), washed with sat. NaHCO₃ (3 x 25 mL), dried over MgSO₄, filtered and evaporated to afford azasulfuryl tripeptide **125** as a solid (268 mg; 64%): *R*_f 0.38 (7:3 Et₂O:petroleum ether); mp 56 °C; [α]_D²⁰ −56.5° (CHCl₃, *c* 0.42); ¹H NMR (CDCl₃, 400 MHz) δ 1.16 (3H, d, *J* = 6.9), 1.39 (9H, s), 3.11 (2H, d, *J* = 5.6), 4.00–4.10 (1H, m), 4.35–4.50 (5H, m), 5.15–5.17 (1H, br), 5.18 (1H, dd, *J* = 1.3, 10.4), 5.25 (1H, dd, *J* = 1.3, 17.2), 5.65–5.75 (1H, br), 6.30–6.40 (1H, m), 6.95–7.05 (2H, m), 7.20–7.35 (7H, m), 8.07 (1H, s); ¹³C NMR (CDCl₃, 100 MHz) δ 18.1, 28.2, 39.0, 49.4, 54.6, 57.6, 66.5, 83.3, 115.7 (d, *J*-¹⁹F = 21.4), 118.4, 127.3, 128.6, 130.3, 130.6 (d, *J*-¹⁹F = 3.2), 131.5 (d, *J*-¹⁹F = 8.1), 132.7, 136.2, 156.2, 163.0 (d, *J*-¹⁹F = 245.4), 170.4, 171.8; IR (neat) ν_{max} /cm^{−1} 1150, 1222, 1365, 1454, 1510, 1690, 2979, 3278; HRMS (ESI) *m/z* calculated for C₂₇H₃₅FN₄NaO₇S [M+Na]⁺ 601.2103; found 601.2115.

***N*-(Alloc)-alaninyl-azasulfuryl-4-fluorophenylalaninyl-D-phenylalanine (127)**

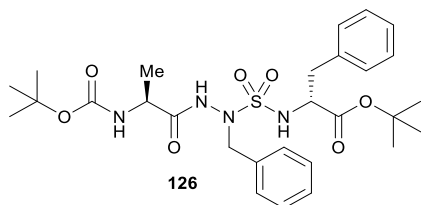


tert-Butyl ester **125** (100 mg, 0.17 mmol) was treated with TFA:DCM 1:1 (1 mL) for 1.5 h at room temperature. The volatiles were then evaporated to afford acid **127** as a solid (89 mg, 99%): mp 66 °C; $[\alpha]_D^{20}$ -42.2° (CHCl₃, *c* 0.65); ¹H NMR (CDCl₃, 400 MHz) δ 0.80-0.90 (3H, br), 3.19 (1H, dd, *J* = 4.1, 13.9), 3.26 (1H, dd, *J* = 5.0, 14.0), 3.85-3.95 (1H, m), 4.15-4.25 (1H, dd, *J* = 4.8, 12.4), 4.27 (1H, d, *J* = 13.6), 4.39 (1H, dd, *J* = 4.9, 13.1), 4.60-4.70 (2H, m), 5.03 (1H, d, *J* = 9.9), 5.12 (1H, d, *J* = 17.2), 5.60-5.70 (1H, m), 5.82 (1H, d, *J* = 5.8), 5.90-6.00 (1H, br), 6.95-7.05 (2H, m), 7.15-7.30 (5H, m), 7.30-7.40 (2H, m), 8.60 (1H, s), 9.30-9.60 (1H, br); ¹³C NMR (CDCl₃, 100 MHz) δ 16.4, 39.2, 49.4, 54.9, 57.0, 66.6, 115.6 (d, *J*-¹⁹F = 21.7), 118.5, 127.3, 128.5, 130.1 (d, *J*-¹⁹F = 2.5), 130.3, 131.8 (d, *J*-¹⁹F = 8.0), 132.6, 135.7, 157.2, 163.1 (d, *J*-¹⁹F = 245.6), 172.7, 173.7; IR (neat) $\nu_{\text{max}}/\text{cm}^{-1}$ 1155, 1221, 1346, 1455, 1510, 1676, 2972, 3707; HRMS (ESI) *m/z* calculated for C₂₃H₂₇FN₄O₇S [M+Na]⁺ 545.1477; found 545.1489.

Scheme 2. Synthesis of *N*-(Fmoc)-alaninyl-azasulfurylphenylalaninyl-D-phenylalanine (128)

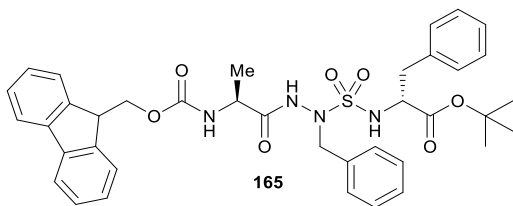


***N*-(Boc)-alaninyl-azasulfurylphenylalaninyl-D-phenylalanine *tert*-butyl ester (126)**



N-(Boc)-alaninyl-azasulfurylphenylalaninyl-D-phenylalanine *tert*-butyl ester [(*S,R*)-**101**, 243 mg, 0.50 mmol, prepared according to reference 91] was dissolved in THF (5 mL), treated at room temperature with tetraethylammonium hydroxide (40% in H₂O, 202 μ L, 0.55 mmol) and benzyl bromide (66 μ L, 0.55 mmol), stirred at room temperature for 3 h, and the volatiles were evaporated to a residue, which was dissolved in DCM (10 mL), washed with 5% citric acid (1 x 10 mL), water (1 x 10 mL) and brine (1 x 10 mL), dried over MgSO₄, filtered and evaporated. The residue was purified by flash chromatography eluting with hexane:EtOAc 3:1 to afford **126** as a solid (235 mg, 81%): *R_f* 0.42 (hexane:EtOAc 7:3); mp 60 °C; [α]²⁰_D −57.6° (CHCl₃, *c* 0.96); ¹H NMR (CDCl₃, 400 MHz) δ 1.14 (3H, d, *J* = 7.0), 1.39 (9H, s), 1.40 (9H, s), 3.14 (2H, d, *J* = 5.7), 3.95–4.05 (1H, m), 4.46 (1H, q, *J* = 5.8), 4.50 (1H, d, *J* = 14.2), 4.55 (1H, d, *J* = 14.1), 4.90 (1H, d, *J* = 7.2), 5.61 (1H, d, *J* = 6.8), 7.20–7.35 (10H, m), 7.88 (1H, s); ¹³C NMR (CDCl₃, 100 MHz) δ 18.0, 28.3, 28.6, 39.0, 49.2, 55.2, 57.7, 80.9, 83.2, 127.3, 128.5, 128.6, 128.9, 129.6, 130.3, 134.8, 136.2, 156.0, 170.5, 172.1; IR (neat) ν_{max} /cm^{−1} 1155, 1253, 1369, 1460, 1501, 1693, 2989; HRMS (ESI) *m/z* calculated for C₂₈H₄₀N₄NaO₇S [M+Na]⁺ 599.2510; found 599.2526.

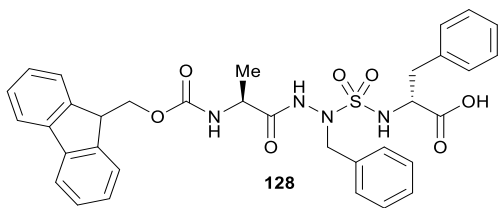
***N*-(Fmoc)-alaninyl-azasulfurylphenylalaninyl-D-phenylalanine *tert*-butyl ester (165)**



Azasulfuryl tripeptide **126** (202 mg, 0.35 mmol) was dissolved in *t*-BuOAc, treated with conc. H₂SO₄ (77.8 μ L, 1.40 mmol), stirred at room temperature for 3 h, and the mixture was quenched with saturated NaHCO₃ (10 mL). The mixture was extracted with EtOAc (4 x 15 mL).

The organic layers were combined and evaporated to a residue, which was dissolved in water (3.5 mL), cooled in an ice bath, and treated with potassium carbonate (65 mg, 0.47 mmol) followed drop-wise with a solution of Fmoc-OSu (138 mg, 0.14 mmol) in 1,4-dioxane (6.5 mL). After stirring at 0 °C for 1h and at room temperature for 4h, brine was added (25 mL) to the mixture. The layers were separated and the resulting aqueous phase was extracted with EtOAc (3 x 40 mL). The organic phases were combined, dried over MgSO₄, filtered and evaporated. The residue was purified by flash chromatography eluting with hexane:EtOAc 7:3 to afford carbamate **165** as a solid (123 mg, 53%): *R_f* 0.33 (hexane:EtOAc 7:3); mp 77 °C; [α]_D²⁰ –38.5° (CHCl₃, *c* 1.00); ¹H NMR (CDCl₃, 400 MHz) δ 1.16 (3H, d, *J* = 6.2), 1.41 (9H, s), 3.10-3.15 (1H, m), 3.15-3.20 (1H, m), 4.05-4.10 (1H, m), 4.15 (1H, t, *J* = 6.4), 4.25-4.35 (2H, m), 4.45-4.65 (3H, m), 5.29 (1H, d, *J* = 6.9), 5.75 (1H, d, *J* = 6.6), 7.20-7.35 (12H, m), 7.40 (2H, t, *J* = 7.2), 7.50-7.60 (2H, m), 7.76 (2H, d, *J* = 7.6), 8.00 (1H, s); ¹³C NMR (CDCl₃, 100 MHz) δ 18.3, 28.2, 39.1, 47.3, 49.4, 55.3, 57.6, 67.6, 83.3, 120.3, 125.4, 127.28, 127.38, 127.41, 128.02, 128.05, 128.56, 128.59, 128.8, 129.7, 130.3, 134.7, 136.2, 141.6, 143.9, 144.2, 156.3, 170.5, 171.7; IR (neat) ν_{max} /cm⁻¹ 1155, 1252, 1369, 1454, 1502, 1703, 3263; HRMS (ESI) *m/z* calculated for C₃₈H₄₃N₄O₇S [M+H]⁺ 699.2847; found 699.2861.

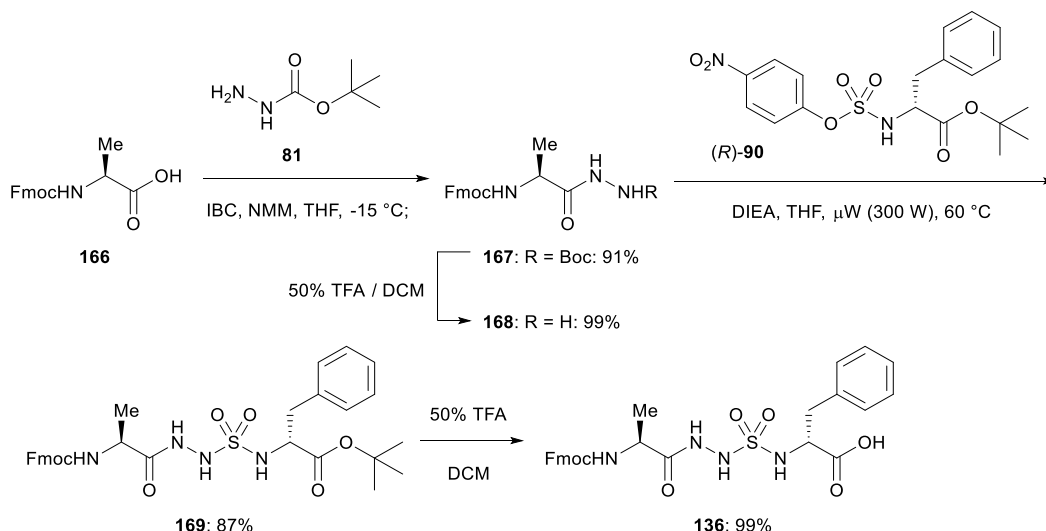
N-(Fmoc)-alaninyl-azasulfurylphenylalaninyl-D-phenylalanine (**128**)



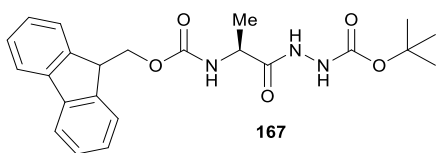
Starting from *tert*-butyl ester **165** (95 mg, 0.14 mmol), acid **128** was synthesized as described for **127**. The volatiles were evaporated to afford **128** as a white powder (86 mg, 98%): mp 98 °C; [α]_D²⁰ –31.7° (CHCl₃, *c* 1.05); ¹H NMR (CDCl₃, 400 MHz) δ 0.70-0.90 (3H, m), 3.10-3.30 (2H, m), 3.90-4.15 (3H, m), 4.15-4.25 (1H, m), 4.25-4.35 (1H, m), 4.55-4.65 (1H, m), 4.65-4.75 (1H, m), 5.75-5.85 (1H, br), 5.85-6.00 (1H, br), 6.70-7.50 (17H, m), 7.60-7.75 (2H, m), 8.48 (1H, br); ¹³C NMR (CDCl₃, 100 MHz) δ 17.2, 39.0, 47.1, 49.4, 55.5, 57.2, 67.8, 120.2, 125.4, 127.32, 127.39, 128.1, 128.6, 128.7, 129.8, 130.3, 134.2, 135.7, 141.5, 143.7, 144.1,

157.0, 172.9, 173.5; IR (neat) $\nu_{\text{max}}/\text{cm}^{-1}$ 1165, 1252, 1353, 1454, 1520, 1694, 3299; HRMS (ESI) m/z calculated for $\text{C}_{34}\text{H}_{35}\text{N}_4\text{O}_7\text{S}$ $[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$ 643.2221; found 643.2231.

Scheme 3. Synthesis of *N*-(Fmoc)-alaninyl-azasulfurylglycyl-D-phenylalanine (136)



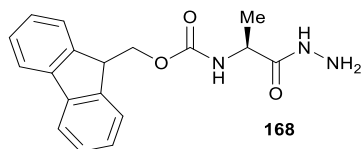
***N*-(Fmoc)-alanine *N*-(Boc)-hydrazide (167)**



Starting from Fmoc-alanine (**166**, 1.87 g, 6.00 mmol), *iso*-butyl chloroformate (780 μ L, 6.00 mmol), 4-methylmorpholine (825 μ L, 7.50 mmol) and *tert*-butyl carbazate (**81**, 0.66 g, 5.00 mmol) in dry THF (35 mL), hydrazide **167** was synthesized as described for **124**. The volatiles were evaporated and the residue was dissolved in DCM (100 mL), washed with water (2 x 100 mL), dried over MgSO₄, filtered and evaporated. The residue was purified by flash chromatography eluting with hexane:EtOAc 1:1 to afford azadipeptide **167** as a solid (1.94 g, 91%): R_f 0.32 (hexane:EtOAc 1:1); mp 73 °C; [α]_D²⁰ -23.9° (CHCl₃, *c* 1.04); ¹H NMR (CDCl₃, 400 MHz) δ 1.35-1.50 (12H, m), 4.10-4.20 (1H, m), 4.30-4.40 (3H, m), 5.79 (1H, br), 6.82 (1H, br), 7.20-7.30 (2H, m), 7.30-7.40 (2H, m), 7.50-7.60 (2H, m), 7.70-7.80 (2H, m), 8.64 (1H, br); ¹³C NMR (CDCl₃, 100 MHz) δ 18.7, 28.4, 47.3, 49.3, 67.5, 82.1, 120.3, 125.4, 127.4, 128.0.

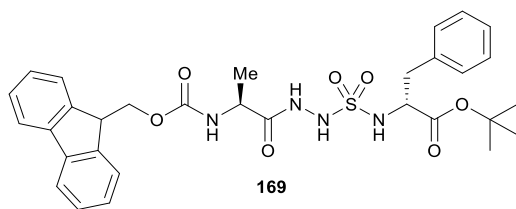
141.6, 144.0, 155.7, 156.5, 172.6; IR (neat) $\nu_{\max}/\text{cm}^{-1}$ 1161, 1245, 1368, 1450, 1531, 1695, 2979, 3290; HRMS (ESI) m/z calculated for $\text{C}_{23}\text{H}_{27}\text{N}_3\text{NaO}_5$ $[\text{M}+\text{Na}]^+$ 448.1842; found 448.1836.

***N*-(Fmoc)-alanine hydrazide (**168**)**



N-(Boc)-hydrazide **168** (399 mg, 0.94 mmol) was treated with TFA:DCM 1:1 (1 mL) at room temperature for 1h. The volatiles were evaporated, the residue was dissolved in DCM and co-evaporated several times to remove TFA. The residue was partitioned between sat. NaHCO_3 (20 mL) and CHCl_3 (20 mL), and the aqueous phase was extracted with CHCl_3 (4 x 20 mL). The combined organic layers were dried over MgSO_4 , filtered and evaporated to afford **168** as a solid (302 mg, 99%), that was used for the next step without further purification: R_f 0.20 (hexane:EtOAc 3:7); mp 141 °C; $[\alpha]_D^{20} -15.3^\circ$ (THF, c 0.68); ^1H NMR (DMSO- d_6 , 400 MHz) δ 1.24 (3H, d, $J = 7.1$), 4.00-4.10 (1H, m), 4.20-4.35 (5H, m), 7.30-7.40 (2H, m), 7.45 (2H, t, $J = 7.2$), 7.53 (1H, d, $J = 7.8$), 7.77 (2H, d, $J = 6.8$), 7.92 (2H, d, $J = 7.5$), 9.11 (1H, s); ^{13}C NMR (DMSO- d_6 , 100 MHz) δ 18.4, 46.6, 48.8, 65.6, 120.1, 125.3, 127.1, 127.6, 140.7, 143.8, 143.9, 155.6, 171.8. IR (neat) $\nu_{\max}/\text{cm}^{-1}$ 1104, 1251, 1323, 1381, 1537, 1660, 1655, 1688, 2974, 3303; HRMS (ESI) m/z calculated for $\text{C}_{18}\text{H}_{19}\text{N}_3\text{NaO}_3$ $[\text{M}+\text{Na}]^+$ 348.1319; found 348.1318.

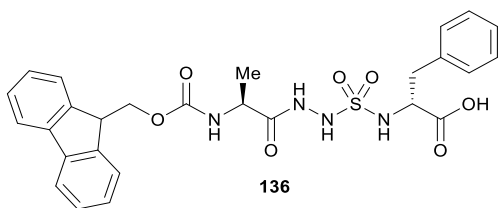
***N*-(Fmoc)-alaninyl-azasulfurylglyciny-D-phenylalanine *tert*-butyl ester (**169**)**



Starting from hydrazide **168** (976 mg, 3.00 mmol), sulfamidate (*R*)-**90** (976 mg, 2.31 mmol) and DIEA (517 μL , 3.00 mmol) in THF (10 mL), sulfamide **169** was synthesized as described for **125**. The volatiles were then evaporated and the residue was purified by flash chromatography eluting with hexane:EtOAc 3:2. The collected fractions were combined, and

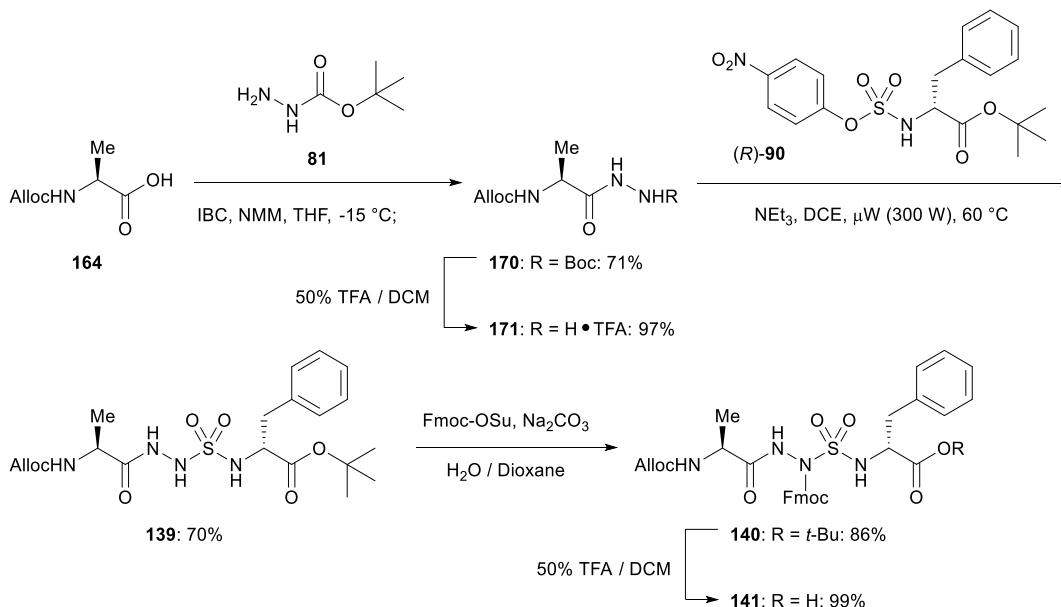
evaporated to a residue that was dissolved in DCM (25 mL). The organic phase was washed with sat. NaHCO_3 (3 x 25 mL), dried over MgSO_4 , filtered and evaporated to afford **169** as a solid (1.22 g, 87%): R_f 0.24 (hexane:EtOAc 3:2); mp 82 °C; $[\alpha]^{20}_D$ 48.9° (CHCl_3 , c 0.79); ^1H NMR (CDCl_3 , 400 MHz) δ 1.35-1.45 (12H, m), 3.09 (1H, dd, J = 7.4, 13.9), 3.15 (1H, dd, J = 5.6, 14.0), 4.15-4.25 (1H, m), 4.30-4.45 (4H, m), 5.65 (1H, d, J = 7.4), 5.77 (1H, d, J = 6.9), 7.20-7.35 (8H, m), 7.42 (2H, t, J = 7.4), 7.61 (2H, t, J = 7.5), 7.78 (2H, d, J = 7.5), 8.64 (1H, s); ^{13}C NMR (CDCl_3 , 100 MHz) δ 18.2, 28.2, 39.1, 47.3, 49.4, 57.6, 67.6, 83.5, 120.2, 125.4, 127.4, 128.0, 128.7, 130.1, 135.9, 141.6, 143.9, 144.1, 156.5, 171.2, 172.3; IR (neat) $\nu_{\text{max}}/\text{cm}^{-1}$ 1105, 1154, 1251, 1367, 1451, 1523, 1709, 2979, 3065, 3275; HRMS (ESI) m/z calculated for $\text{C}_{31}\text{H}_{36}\text{N}_4\text{NaO}_7\text{S}$ $[\text{M}+\text{Na}]^+$ 631.2197; found 631.2187.

***N*-(Fmoc)-alaninyl-azasulfurylglycinyl-D-phenylalanine (136)**

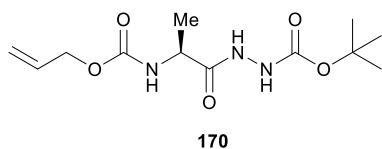


Starting from *tert*-butyl ester **169** (150 mg, 0.25 mmol), acid **136** was synthesized as described for **127**. The volatiles were evaporated to afford **136** as a solid (135 mg, 99%): R_f 0.17 (hexane:EtOAc 3:7); mp 185 °C; $[\alpha]^{20}_D$ -15.3° (CHCl_3 , c 0.84); ^1H NMR (CDCl_3 , 400 MHz) δ 1.24 (3H, d, J = 6.3), 3.00-3.15 (2H, m), 4.05-4.15 (1H, m), 4.20-4.25 (1H, m), 4.25-4.35 (2H, m), 4.41 (1H, t, J = 5.1), 5.78 (1H, br), 5.89 (1H, br), 7.00-7.15 (6H, m), 7.21 (2H, t, J = 7.4), 7.32 (2H, t, J = 7.4), 7.45-7.60 (2H, m), 7.68 (2H, d, J = 7.6), 8.76 (1H, br); ^{13}C NMR (CDCl_3 , 100 MHz) δ 18.2, 38.8, 47.2, 49.4, 56.9, 67.9, 120.3, 125.4, 127.4, 128.1, 128.9, 130.0, 135.3, 141.5, 143.7, 144.0, 157.0, 173.4, 174.3; IR (neat) $\nu_{\text{max}}/\text{cm}^{-1}$ 1161, 1239, 1261, 1353, 1457, 1525, 1689, 3221; HRMS (ESI) m/z calculated for $\text{C}_{27}\text{H}_{29}\text{N}_4\text{O}_7\text{S}$ $[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$ 553.1752; found 553.1750.

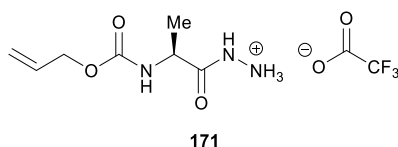
Scheme 4. Synthesis of *N*-(Alloc)-alaninyl-aza(Fmoc)-sulfurylglycinyl-D-phenylalanine (**141**)



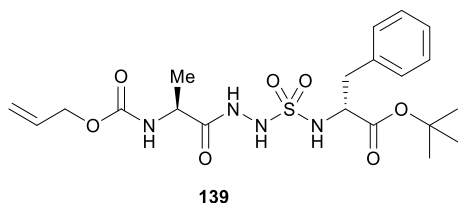
N-(Alloc)-alanine *N*-(Boc)-hydrazide (**170**)



Starting from *N*-(Alloc)-alanine (**164**, 2.08 g, 12.0 mmol), *iso*-butyl chloroformate (1.57 mL, 12.0 mmol), 4-methylmorpholine (1.65 mL, 15.0 mmol) and *tert*-butyl carbazate (**81**, 1.32 g, 10.00 mmol) in dry THF (70 mL), hydrazide **170** was synthesized as described for **124**. The volatiles were evaporated and the residue was purified by flash chromatography eluting with hexane:EtOAc 11:9 to afford hydrazide **170** as a solid (2.04 g, 71%): *R*_f 0.19 (hexane:EtOAc 3:2); mp 54 °C; $[\alpha]_D^{20}$ -36.8° (CHCl₃, *c* 1.06); ¹H NMR (CDCl₃, 400 MHz) δ 1.41 (3H, d, *J* = 7.1), 1.45 (9H, s), 4.25-4.35 (1H, m), 4.50-4.60 (2H, m), 5.21 (1H, dq, *J* = 1.2, 10.4), 5.30 (1H, dq, *J* = 1.5, 17.2), 5.53 (1H, br), 5.80-5.95 (1H, m), 6.69 (1H, br), 8.42 (1H, br); ¹³C NMR (CDCl₃, 100 MHz) δ 18.7, 28.4, 49.2, 66.2, 81.9, 118.2, 132.7, 155.8, 156.4, 172.8; IR (neat) ν_{max} /cm⁻¹ 1156, 1236, 1367, 1452, 1501, 1679, 2978, 3279; HRMS (ESI) *m/z* calculated for C₁₂H₂₁N₃NaO₅ [M+Na]⁺ 310.1373; found 310.1377.

***N*-(Alloc)-alanine hydrazidium trifluoroacetate (171)**

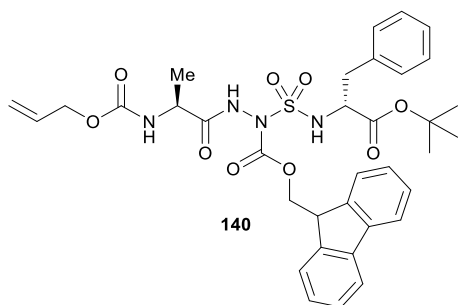
N-(Boc)-hydrazide **170** (1.44 g, 5.0 mmol) was treated with TFA:DCM 1:1 (5 mL) for 2h at room temperature. The volatiles were evaporated to afford hydrazide salt **171** as an oil (1.49 g, 99%): $[\alpha]^{20}_{\text{D}} -66.5^{\circ}$ (MeOH, c 0.92); ^1H NMR (CD_3OD , 400 MHz) showed an 1:1 mixture of hydrazide salt isomers: δ 1.417 (3H, d, $J = 7.2$) [1.419 (3H, d, $J = 7.2$)], 4.20-4.30 (1H, m), 4.50-4.60 (2H, m), 5.20 (1H, dq, $J = 1.3, 10.5$), 5.33 (1H, dq, $J = 1.4, 17.2$), 5.90-6.00 (1H, m); ^{13}C NMR (CD_3OD , 100 MHz) δ 19.2 (18.6) 51.5, 67.5 (67.6), 118.2 (q, $J\text{-}^{19}\text{F} = 287.9$), 118.54 (118.60), 135.05 (134.95), 158.9 (159.0), 162.5 (q, $J\text{-}^{19}\text{F} = 36.9$), 175.1 (172.2). IR (neat) $\nu_{\text{max}}/\text{cm}^{-1}$ 1129, 1179, 1201, 1249, 1450, 1521, 1655, 3270; HRMS (ESI) m/z calculated for $\text{C}_7\text{H}_{14}\text{N}_3\text{O}_3$ $[\text{M}]^+$ 188.1030; found 188.1033.

***N*-(Alloc)-alaninyl-azasulfurylglycinyl-D-phenylalanine *tert*-butyl ester (139)**

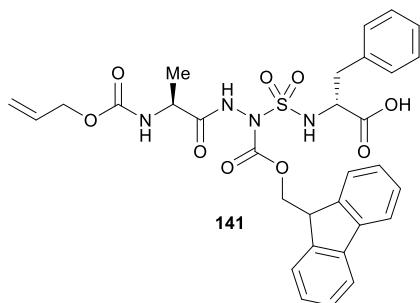
Starting from hydrazide salt **171** (563 mg, 1.87 mmol), sulfamidate (*R*)-**90** (718 mg, 1.70 mmol) and NEt_3 (496 μL , 3.57 mmol) in DCE (7.5 mL), sulfamide **139** was synthesized as described for **125**. The residue was purified by flash chromatography eluting with hexane:EtOAc 3:2. The collected fractions were evaporated to a residue, which was dissolved in DCM (25 mL), washed with sat. NaHCO_3 (3 x 25 mL), dried over MgSO_4 , filtered and evaporated to afford sulfamide **139** as a solid (557 mg, 70%): R_f 0.33 (hexane:EtOAc 3:2); mp 52°C ; $[\alpha]^{20}_{\text{D}} -70.9^{\circ}$ (CHCl_3 , c 1.00); ^1H NMR (CDCl_3 , 400 MHz) δ 1.36 (3H, d, $J = 7.1$), 1.39 (9H, s), 3.06 (1H, dd, $J = 6.6, 13.9$), 3.11 (1H, dd, $J = 5.5, 13.9$), 4.20-4.30 (2H, m), 4.45-4.60 (2H, m), 5.19 (1H, dd, $J = 1.2, 10.4$), 5.27 (1H, dd, $J = 1.2, 17.2$), 5.51 (1H, d, $J = 6.9$), 5.64 (1H, d, $J = 7.8$), 5.80-5.95 (1H, m), 7.20-7.30 (6H, m), 8.56 (1H, s); ^{13}C NMR (CDCl_3 ,

100 MHz) δ 18.2, 28.2, 39.1, 49.5, 57.6, 66.5, 83.5, 118.4, 127.4, 128.7, 130.1, 132.7, 135.9, 156.4, 171.2, 172.4; IR (neat) $\nu_{\max}/\text{cm}^{-1}$ 1150, 1249, 1364, 1454, 1515, 1688, 2977, 3219; HRMS (ESI) m/z calculated for $\text{C}_{20}\text{H}_{30}\text{N}_4\text{NaO}_7\text{S}$ $[\text{M}+\text{Na}]^+$ 493.1727; found 493.1728.

***N*-(Alloc)-alaninyl-aza(Fmoc)-sulfurylglycinyl-D-phenylalanine *tert*-butyl ester (**140**)**

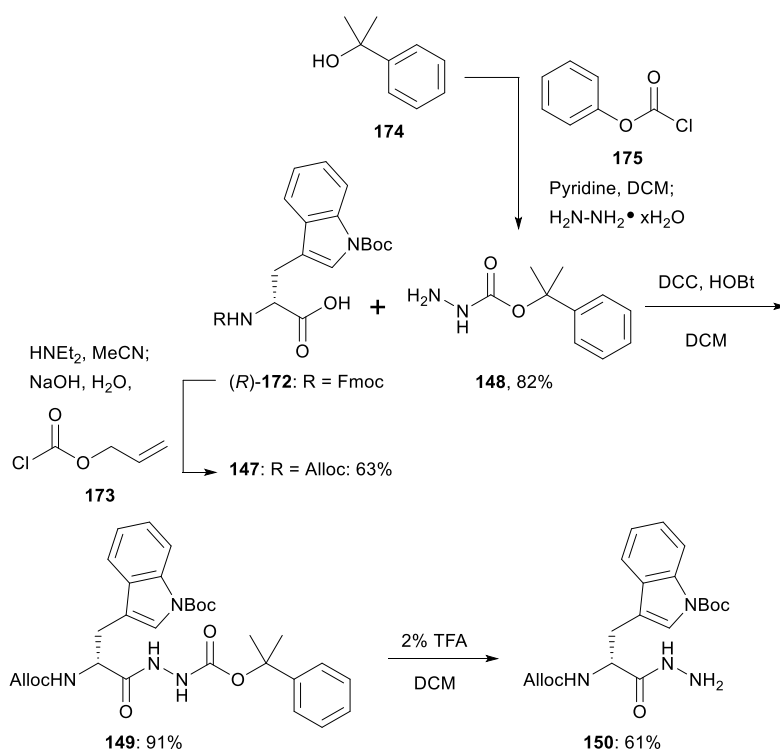


Sodium carbonate (286 mg, 2.70 mmol) and sulfamide **139** (725 mg, 1.54 mmol) were dissolved in a 1:1 mixture of water and 1,4-dioxane (25 mL) and then cooled down to 0 °C. The mixture was treated with a solution of Fmoc-OSu (780 mg, 2.31 mmol) in dioxane (12.5 mL), stirred at 0 °C for 1 h, and allowed to warm to room temperature with stirring for 18 h. Brine (50 mL) was added to the mixture. The aqueous phase was extracted with EtOAc (3 x 100 mL). The organic phases were combined, dried over MgSO_4 , filtered and evaporated to a residue, which was purified by two separate flash chromatography columns eluting first with hexane:EtOAc 3:1 and then with DCM:EtOAc 19:1. Evaporation of the collected fractions afforded fluorenyl carbazate **140** (913 mg, 86%) as a solid: R_f 0.27 (hexane:EtOAc 3:1), mp 83 °C; $[\alpha]_{\text{D}}^{20}$ -14.6° (MeOH, c 0.98); ^1H NMR (CD_3OD , 300 MHz) showed a 7:50 mixture of carbazate isomers: δ 1.32 (9H, s), [1.36, (9H, s)], 1.34 (3H, d, $J = 7.1$), [1.43 (3H, d, $J = 7.1$)], 2.90-3.10 (2H, m), 4.20-4.40 (3H, m), 4.40-4.60 (4H, m), 5.13 (1H, d, $J = 10.7$), [5.19 (1H, d, $J = 10.7$)], 5.26 (1H, d, $J = 16.4$), [5.32 (1H, d, $J = 16.4$)], 5.80-6.00 (1H, m), 7.15-7.35 (7H, m), 7.40 (2H, t, $J = 7.4$), 7.60-7.70 (2H, m), 7.81 (2H, d, $J = 7.4$); ^{13}C NMR (CD_3OD , 75 MHz): δ 19.1, 28.97 (29.01), 40.6 (40.8), 48.6, 51.2, 60.2 (60.4), 67.5, 71.3 (71.8), 83.9 (84.3), 118.6, 121.8 (121.9), 127.10 (127.17), 127.3 (127.4), 128.7, 129.2, 129.8, 130.2, 131.6 (131.7), 135.04 (135.10), 138.4 (138.5), 143.31 (143.37), 145.5 (145.6), 145.6 (145.7), 154.2, 172.4 (172.7), 175.0; IR (neat) $\nu_{\max}/\text{cm}^{-1}$ 1152, 1178, 1226, 1316, 1369, 1384, 1450, 1498, 1695, 2978, 3292; HRMS (ESI) m/z calculated for $\text{C}_{35}\text{H}_{40}\text{N}_4\text{NaO}_9\text{S}$ $[\text{M}+\text{Na}]^+$ 715.2408; found 715.2424.

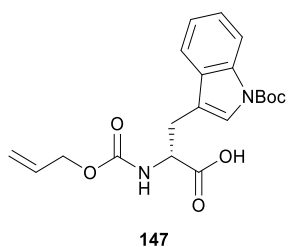
***N*-(Alloc)-alaninyl-aza(Fmoc)-sulfurylglycyl-D-phenylalanine (**141**)**

Starting from *tert*-butyl ester **140** (0.750 g, 1.1 mmol), acid **141** was synthesized as described for **127**. The volatiles were evaporated to afford **141** as a solid (0.682 g, 99%): $[\alpha]_{\text{D}}^{20}$ -36.8° (MeOH, c 0.98); ^1H NMR (CD_3OD , 300 MHz) showed an 9:20 mixture of carbazate isomers: δ 1.34 (3H, d, $J = 7.1$) [1.42 (3H, d, $J = 7.1$)], 3.00-3.20 (2H, m), 4.20-4.40 (3H, m), 4.40-4.55 (3H, m), 4.55-4.70 (1H, m), 5.13 (1H, d, $J = 10.8$) [5.18 (1H, d, $J = 10.8$)], 5.32 (1H, d, $J = 15.7$) [5.37 (1H, d, $J = 15.7$)], 5.80-6.00 (1H, m), 7.15-7.35 (7H, m), 7.40 (2H, t, $J = 7.4$), 7.60-7.70 (2H, m), 7.80 (2H, d, $J = 7.4$); ^{13}C NMR (CD_3OD , 75 MHz): δ 19.1 (19.2), 40.4, 48.54 (48.63), 51.17 (51.41), 59.9, 67.5, 71.4 (71.8), 118.6, 121.8 (121.9), 127.2 (127.4), 128.7, 129.2, 129.8, 130.2, 131.6, 135.1, 138.4 (138.5), 143.3 (143.4), 145.6 (145.7), 154.1, 158.7, 174.8, 175.0. IR (neat) $\nu_{\text{max}}/\text{cm}^{-1}$ 1178, 1220, 1315, 1384, 1449, 1519, 1543, 1643, 1688, 1737, 3071, 3289; HRMS (ESI) m/z calculated for $\text{C}_{31}\text{H}_{33}\text{N}_4\text{O}_9\text{S}$ $[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$ 637.1963; found 637.1970.

Scheme 5. Synthesis of *N*-(Alloc)-*N*ⁱⁿ-(Boc)-D-tryptophan hydrazide (**150**)



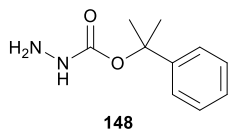
N-(Alloc)-*N*ⁱⁿ-(Boc)-D-tryptophan (**147**)



N-(Fmoc)-*N*ⁱⁿ-(Boc)-D-tryptophan [(*R*)-**172**, 1.00 g, 1.9 mmol] was dissolved in MeCN (20 mL) and treated with diethylamine (5.87 mL, 57 mmol) for 1.5 h. The volatiles were evaporated and water (25 mL) was added. The product in the aqueous phase was washed with Et₂O (2 x 25 mL). Sodium hydroxide (1 M, 2 mL) was then added to the aqueous phase. Next, allyl chloroformate (**173**, 0.301 mL, 2.82 mmol) and sodium hydroxide (2 M, 1 mL) were added while stirring in 4 portions every 30 min (ie. 0.075 mL for allyl chloroformate and 0.250 mL for 2M sodium hydroxide). After the last addition, the reaction mixture was allowed to stir for an additional 30 min. After completion, the aqueous phase was washed with Et₂O (2 x 25 mL) and

then acidified using 1M HCl until pH is approx. 1. The product was finally extracted with Et₂O (3 x 50 mL). The organic layers were combined, dried over MgSO₄, filtered and evaporated to afford acid **147** (0.46 g, 63 %) as a solid: *R*_f 0.21 (MeOH:DCM 1:19); mp 73 °C; [α]²⁰_D -42.0° (CHCl₃, *c* 1.00); ¹H NMR (CDCl₃, 400 MHz) δ 1.66 (9H, s), 3.21 (1H, dd, *J* = 6.4, 14.8), 3.33 (1H, dd, *J* = 5.1, 14.9), 4.50-4.60 (2H, m), 4.70-4.80 (1H, m), 5.19 (1H, d, *J* = 10.2), 5.27 (1H, d, *J* = 17.4), 5.38 (1H, d, *J* = 7.9), 5.80-5.90 (1H, m), 7.22 (1H, dt, *J* = 0.8, 7.5), 7.31 (1H, dt, *J* = 1.0, 7.7), 7.48 (1H, s), 7.54 (1H, d, *J* = 7.8), 8.09 (1H, d, *J* = 7.3), 9.89 (1H, br); ¹³C NMR (CDCl₃, 100 MHz) δ 27.9, 28.5, 54.1, 66.3, 84.2, 115.1, 115.6, 118.3, 119.2, 123.0, 124.6, 124.9, 130.7, 132.7, 135.6, 150.0, 156.2, 176.2; IR (neat) ν_{max} /cm⁻¹ 1149, 1253, 1368, 1452, 1521, 1712, 2981; HRMS (ESI) *m/z* calculated for C₂₀H₂₄N₂NaO₆ [M+Na]⁺ 411.1527; found 411.1532.

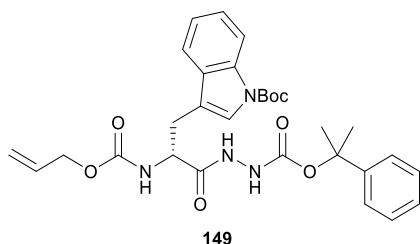
Cumyl carbazate (**148**)



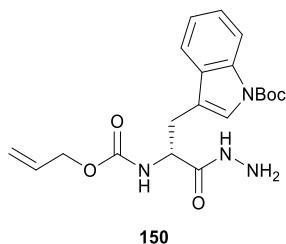
2-phenyl-2-propanol (**174**, 408 mg, 3 mmol, prepared according to reference 161) was dissolved in DCM (5 mL) and pyridine (0.36 mL, 4.5 mmol) was added. A solution of phenyl chloroformate (**172**, 0.51 mL, 4.06 mmol) in DCM (5 mL) was then added drop-wise at 0 °C. The cold water bath was allowed to slowly warm at room temperature and let stirring at room temperature for 18 h. The reaction mixture was then diluted with DCM (50 mL) and washed with 1M HCl (50 mL), 1M NaOH (50 mL) and water (50 mL). The organic phase was dried with MgSO₄, filtered and evaporated to a residue. Hydrazine hydrate (2 mL) was added and it was stirred at room temperature for 18 h. After completion, the mixture was diluted with water (25 mL) and the product was extracted with EtOAc (3 x 25 mL). The organic layers were combined and washed with 1M NaOH (50 mL) and water (50 mL). It was then dried over MgSO₄, filtered and evaporated. The crude was finally purified by flash chromatography eluting with EtOAc:Hexane 3:2 + 1% NEt₃ to afford carbazate **148** (479 mg, 82 %) as an oil: *R*_f 0.19 (EtOAc:Hexane 3:2 + 1% NEt₃); ¹H NMR (CDCl₃, 400 MHz) δ 1.82 (6H, s), 3.69 (2H, br), 6.17 (1H, br), 7.25-7.30 (1H, m), 7.35-7.45 (4H, m); ¹³C NMR (CDCl₃, 100 MHz) δ 29.2, 82.0,

124.6, 127.4, 128.5, 146.2, 157.7; IR (neat) $\nu_{\max}/\text{cm}^{-1}$ 1139, 1266, 1365, 1495, 1632, 1707, 2981, 3326; HRMS (ESI) m/z calculated for $\text{C}_{10}\text{H}_{14}\text{N}_2\text{NaO}_2$ $[\text{M}+\text{Na}]^+$ 217.0948; found 217.0945.

***N*-(Alloc)-*N*ⁱⁿ-(Boc)-D-tryptophan *N*-(Coc)-hydrazide (**149**)**

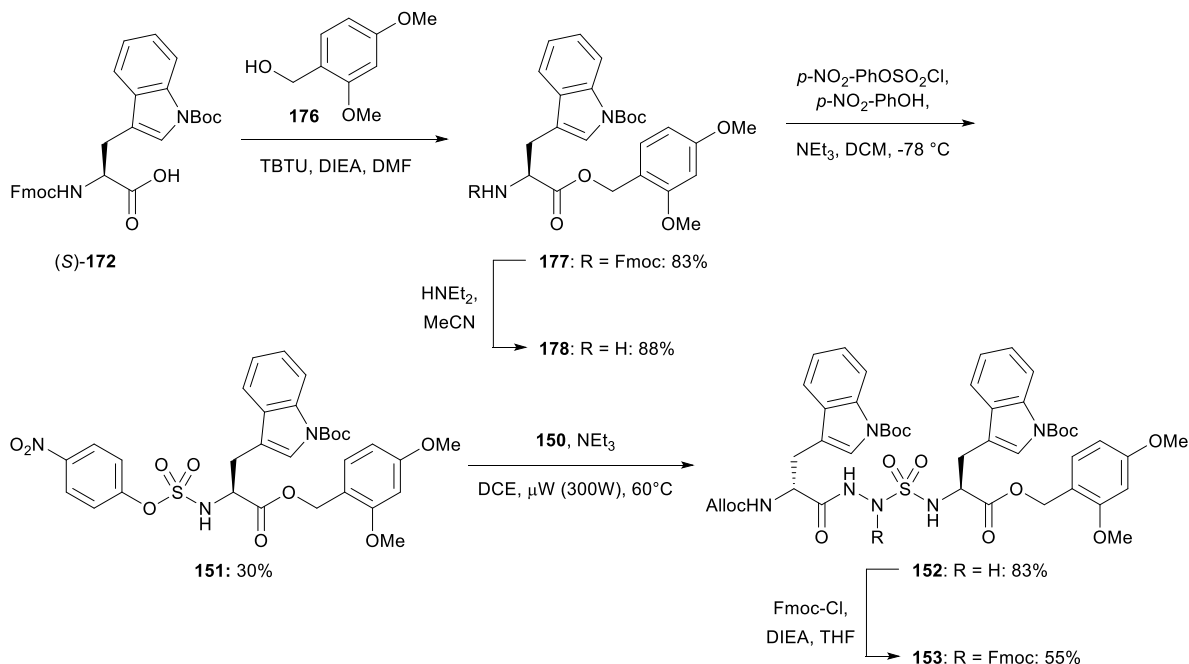


HOBt (172 mg, 1.27 mmol) followed by DCC (262 mg, 1.27 mmol) were added to a solution of acid **147** (450 mg, 1.16 mmol) in DCM (5 mL) and stirred for 30 min. Cumyl carbazate (**148**, 225 mg, 1.16 mmol) in DCM (1 mL) was then added. The reaction mixture was stirred at room temperature for 18 h. After completion, the mixture was filtered and the filtrate was evaporated. Cold EtOAc (15 mL) was added and the mixture was let standing for 15 min, filtered again and evaporated to a residue. The crude was finally purified by flash chromatography eluting with 3:7 EtOAc/hexane + 1% NEt_3 to afford *N*-(Coc) hydrazide **149** (595 mg, 91 %) as a solid: R_f 0.27 (3:7 EtOAc/hexane + 1% NEt_3); mp 84 °C; $[\alpha]^{20}_{\text{D}} -0.3^\circ$ (CHCl_3 , c 1.03); ^1H NMR (CDCl_3 , 400 MHz) δ 1.64 (9H, s), 1.77 (6H, s), 3.00-3.10 (1H, m), 3.18 (1H, dd, $J = 6.4, 14.9$), 4.40-4.50 (2H, m), 4.50-4.60 (1H, m), 5.13 (1H, d, $J = 10.2$), 5.19 (1H, d, $J = 17.5$), 5.54 (1H, d, $J = 8.0$), 5.75-5.85 (1H, m), 6.70-6.80 (1H, br), 7.15-7.25 (2H, m), 7.25-7.40 (5H, m), 7.45 (1H, s), 7.53 (1H, d, $J = 7.7$), 8.05-8.15 (1H, br), 8.09 (1H, d, $J = 7.9$); ^{13}C NMR (CDCl_3 , 100 MHz) δ 28.1, 28.5, 29.0, 53.6, 66.4, 83.3, 84.0, 115.4, 115.6, 118.3, 119.2, 123.0, 124.6, 124.9, 127.4, 128.6, 130.5, 132.6, 135.8, 145.7, 149.9, 154.8, 156.4, 171.0; IR (neat) $\nu_{\max}/\text{cm}^{-1}$ 1152, 1227, 1252, 1367, 1451, 1695, 3268; HRMS (ESI) m/z calculated for $\text{C}_{30}\text{H}_{36}\text{N}_4\text{NaO}_7$ $[\text{M}+\text{Na}]^+$ 587.2476; found 587.2484.

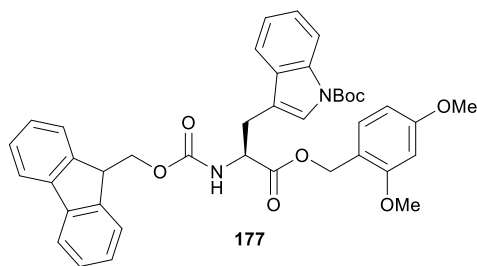
***N*-(Alloc)-*N*ⁱⁿ-(Boc)-D-tryptophan hydrazide (**150**)**

N-(Coc)-hydrazide **149** (510 mg, 0.90 mmol) was treated with 2% of TFA in DCM (5 mL) for 1.5 h. The volatiles were then evaporated to a residue. The crude was purified by flash chromatography eluting with a gradient of 50-80% EtOAc:Hexanes + 2% NEt₃ to afford hydrazide **150** (220 mg, 61 %) as a solid: *R*_f 0.13 (EtOAc:Hexane 3:2 + 2% NEt₃); mp 79 °C; [α]_D²⁰ −7.8° (CHCl₃, *c* 1.03); ¹H NMR (CDCl₃, 400 MHz) δ 1.65 (9H, s), 3.14 (2H, d, *J* = 6.8), 3.78 (2H, br), 4.40-4.50 (1H, m), 4.51 (2H, d, *J* = 5.7), 5.18 (1H, d, *J* = 10.4), 5.25 (1H, d, *J* = 17.2), 5.66 (1H, d, *J* = 7.2), 5.80-5.90 (1H, m), 7.20 (1H, t, *J* = 7.5), 7.30 (1H, t, *J* = 7.4), 7.45 (1H, s), 7.54 (1H, d, *J* = 8.2), 7.55 (1H, s), 8.09 (1H, d, *J* = 7.8); ¹³C NMR (CDCl₃, 100 MHz) δ 28.5, 28.6, 54.0, 664, 84.2, 115.5, 115.7, 118.4, 119.1, 123.0, 124.6, 125.0, 130.4, 132.7, 135.8, 149.9, 156.2, 172.1; IR (neat) ν_{max} /cm^{−1} 1149, 1252, 1367, 1453, 1524, 1722, 2983, 3570; HRMS (ESI) *m/z* calculated for C₂₀H₂₆N₄NaO₅ [M+Na]⁺ 425.1795; found 425.1799.

Scheme 6. Synthesis of *N*-(Alloc)-*N*ⁱⁿ-(Boc)-D-tryptophanyl-aza(Fmoc)-sulfurylglyciny-*N*ⁱⁿ-(Boc)-tryptophan 2,4-dimethoxybenzyl ester (153**)**



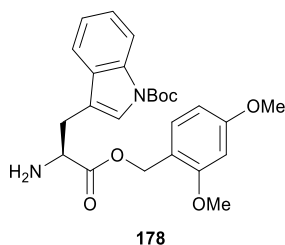
***N*-(Fmoc)-*N*ⁱⁿ-(Boc)-tryptophan 2,4-dimethoxybenzyl ester (**177**)**



In an flamed-dried round-bottomed flask equipped with a magnetic stir bar, *N*-(Fmoc)-*N*ⁱⁿ-(Boc)-L-tryptophan [(*S*)-**172**, (2.05 g, 3.89 mmol), TBTU (1.25 g, 3.89 mmol) and DIEA (1.29 mL, 7.78 mmol) were dissolved in DMF (8 mL) and the resulting mixture was stirred at rt for 30 min under argon atmosphere. 2,4-dimethoxybenzyl alcohol (**176**, 0.72 g, 4.2 mmol, prepared according to reference 162) in DMF (2 mL) was then injected into the reaction mixture via syringe and stirring was continued at room temperature for 4h. The reaction mixture was diluted with DCM (250 mL) and the resulting mixture was washed with water (2 x 100 mL). The organic phase was dried over MgSO₄, filtered and evaporated to a residue. It was then

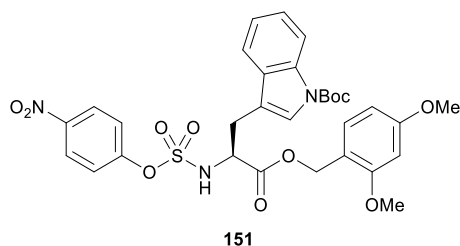
purified by flash chromatography eluting with EtOAc:Hexane 1:4 to afford ester **177** (2.2 g, 83 %) as a solid: *R*_f 0.29 (EtOAc:Hexane 1:4); mp 73 °C; [α]²⁰_D -2.1° (CHCl₃, *c* 1.00); ¹H NMR (CDCl₃, 400 MHz) δ 1.66 (9H, s), 3.26 (1H, dd, *J* = 5.9, 15.1), 3.31 (1H, dd, *J* = 5.6, 14.8), 3.804 (3H, s), 3.810 (3H, s), 4.21 (1H, t, *J* = 7.2), 4.20-4.30 (2H, m), 4.75-4.85 (1H, m), 5.14 (2H, s), 5.47 (1H, d, *J* = 8.1), 6.43 (1H, s), 6.45 (1H, s), 7.12 (1H, d, *J* = 8.0), 7.24 (1H, t, *J* = 7.3), 7.25-7.45 (5H, m), 7.46 (1H, s), 7.55-7.60 (3H, m), 7.76 (2H, d, *J* = 7.4), 8.12 (1H, d, *J* = 7.2); ¹³C NMR (CDCl₃, 100 MHz) δ 28.2, 28.5, 47.4, 54.6, 55.67, 55.70, 63.5, 67.5, 83.9, 98.9, 104.4, 115.3, 115.6, 116.0, 119.2, 120.3, 123.0, 124.6, 124.8, 125.5, 127.4, 128.0, 131.0, 131.9, 135.6, 141.6, 144.1, 144.2, 149.9, 156.0, 159.4, 161.9, 171.9; IR (neat) ν_{max} /cm⁻¹ 1152, 1252, 1369, 1451, 1509, 1616, 1722, 2937; HRMS (ESI) *m/z* calculated for C₄₀H₄₀N₂NaO₈ [M+Na]⁺ 699.2677; found 699.2676.

*N*ⁱⁿ-(Boc)-tryptophan 2,4-dimethoxybenzyl ester (**178**)



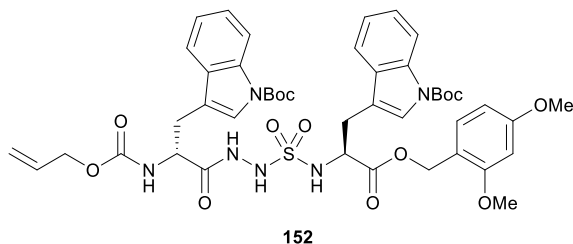
Ester **177** (0.92 g, 1.36 mmol) was dissolved in MeCN (16 mL) and diethylamine (4 mL, 38.8 mmol) was added to the solution. It was stirred at room temperature for 1.5 h. After completion of the reaction, the volatiles were evaporated to a residue and the crude was purified by flash chromatography eluting with EtOAc:Hexane 2:3 + 2% NEt₃ to afford amine **178** (542 mg, 88 %) as an oil: *R*_f 0.26 (EtOAc:Hexane 2:3 + 2% NEt₃); [α]²⁰_D -9.5° (CHCl₃, *c* 1.31); ¹H NMR (CDCl₃, 400 MHz) δ 1.60 (2H, s), 1.66 (9H, s), 2.97 (1H, dd, *J* = 7.7, 14.4), 3.18 (1H, dd, *J* = 5.0, 14.5), 3.807 (3H, s), 3.814 (3H, s), 3.81-3.90 (1H, m), 5.12 (2H, s), 6.40-6.50 (2H, m), 7.13 (1H, d, *J* = 7.9), 7.22 (1H, t, *J* = 7.4), 7.29 (1H, t, *J* = 7.3), 7.46 (1H, s), 7.55 (1H, d, *J* = 7.8), 8.12 (1H, d, *J* = 6.7); ¹³C NMR (CDCl₃, 100 MHz) δ 28.5, 30.8, 54.9, 55.71, 55.75, 62.8, 83.8, 98.9, 104.4, 115.6, 116.5, 116.6, 119.3, 122.8, 124.5, 124.8, 130.9, 131.8, 135.8, 149.9, 159.4, 161.7, 175.5; IR (neat) ν_{max} /cm⁻¹ 1158, 1256, 1369, 1452, 1510, 1615, 1725, 3057, 3556; HRMS (ESI) *m/z* calculated for C₂₅H₃₁N₂O₆ [M+H]⁺ 455.2177; found 455.2168.

4-nitrophenyl sulfamidate of *N*ⁱⁿ-(Boc)-tryptophan 2,4-dimethoxybenzyl ester (**151**)



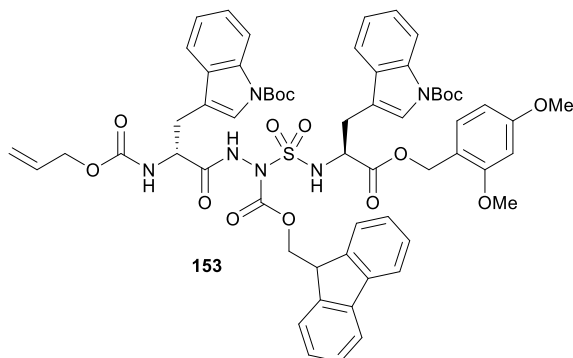
4-Nitrophenyl chlorosulfate (475 mg, 2.00 mmol, prepared according to reference 91) was dissolved in dry DCM (5 mL) and treated drop-wise with a solution of amine **178** (454 mg, 1.00 mmol), 4-nitrophenol (417 mg, 3.00 mmol) and triethylamine (0.83 mL, 6.00 mmol) in dry DCM (25 mL) at $-78\text{ }^{\circ}\text{C}$. It was stirred at $-78\text{ }^{\circ}\text{C}$ for 1.5 h. The reaction mixture was then allowed to warm at room temperature and stirring was continued for 1 h. The reaction mixture was evaporated to a residue and the crude was purified by flash chromatography eluting with Et₂O:petroleum ether 2:3 to afford fractions contaminated with 4-nitrophenol. The necessary fractions containing the product were evaporated and redissolved in DCM (25 mL), washed with sat. NaHCO₃ (aq.) (3 x 25 mL), dried over MgSO₄, filtered and evaporated to afford sulfamidate **151** (197 mg, 30 %) as a solid: *R*_f 0.30 (Et₂O:petroleum ether 2:3); mp $70\text{ }^{\circ}\text{C}$; $[\alpha]_D^{20}$ 19.1° (CHCl₃, *c* 0.97); ¹H NMR (CDCl₃, 400 MHz) δ 1.69 (9H, s), 3.26 (1H, dd, *J* = 5.4, 14.8), 3.32 (1H, dd, *J* = 5.0, 14.8), 3.82 (3H, s), 3.84 (3H, s), 4.55-4.65 (1H, m), 5.12 (1H, d, *J* = 11.6), 5.17 (1H, d, *J* = 11.6), 5.60-5.70 (1H, br), 6.40-6.50 (2H, m), 7.12 (1H, d, *J* = 8.0), 7.20-7.30 (3H, m), 7.34 (1H, dt, *J* = 1.1, 7.2), 7.48 (1H, s), 7.52 (1H, d, *J* = 7.8), 8.05-8.15 (3H, m); ¹³C NMR (CDCl₃, 100 MHz) δ 28.5, 29.0, 55.73, 55.79, 57.4, 64.4, 84.4, 98.94, 104.5, 113.9, 115.4, 115.7, 119.1, 122.5, 123.1, 125.1, 125.7, 130.4, 132.4, 135.6, 146.2, 149.8, 154.6, 159.6, 162.2, 170.7; IR (neat) $\nu_{\text{max}}/\text{cm}^{-1}$ 1149, 1257, 1346, 1369, 1451, 1525, 1589, 1615, 1729; HRMS (ESI) *m/z* calculated for C₃₁H₃₃N₃NaO₁₁S [M+Na]⁺ 678.1728; found 678.1711.

***N*-(Alloc)-*N*ⁱⁿ-(Boc)-D-tryptophanyl-azasulfurylglyciny-*N*ⁱⁿ-(Boc)-tryptophan
2,4-dimethoxybenzyl ester (**152**)**



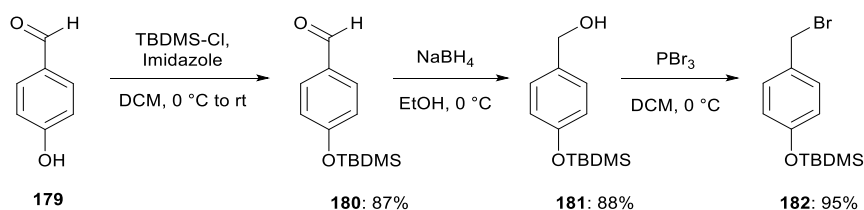
Starting from hydrazide **150** (167 mg, 0.42 mmol), sulfamidate **151** (210 mg, 0.32 mmol) and NEt₃ (57.9 μ L, 0.42 mmol) in DCE (3.5 mL), sulfamide **152** was synthesized as described for **125**. The crude was purified by flash chromatography eluting first with EtOAc:Hexane 1:4 to remove 4-nitrophenol and then with EtOAc:Hexane 7:13 to afford sulfamide **152** (166 mg, 56%) as a solid: *R*_f 0.21 (EtOAc:Hexane 3:7); mp 109 °C; [α]_D²⁰ 35.5° (CHCl₃, *c* 1.10); ¹H NMR (CDCl₃, 500 MHz) δ 1.62 (9H, s), 1.65 (9H, s), 3.10-3.20 (4H, m), 3.74 (3H, s), 3.77 (3H, s), 4.35-4.40 (1H, m), 4.45-4.50 (1H, m), 4.50-4.55 (2H, m), 5.01 (2H, s), 5.15 (1H, d, *J* = 10.5), 5.23 (1H, d, *J* = 17.2), 5.54 (1H, br), 5.62 (1H, d, *J* = 7.7), 5.80-5.90 (1H, m), 6.30-6.40 (2H, m), 6.92 (1H, s), 6.97 (1H, d, *J* = 7.8), 7.20-7.25 (2H, m), 7.25-7.30 (2H, m), 7.49 (1H, s), 7.52 (1H, d, *J* = 7.8), 7.55 (1H, s), 7.62 (1H, d, *J* = 7.3), 7.97 (1H, br), 8.05-8.10 (2H, m); ¹³C NMR (CDCl₃, 125 MHz) δ 28.40, 28.49, 28.50, 28.7, 53.9, 55.67, 55.75, 56.5, 64.0, 66.4, 84.0, 84.3, 98.8, 104.4, 114.7, 115.3, 115.55, 115.58, 115.63, 118.4, 119.3, 119.4, 122.9, 123.1, 124.8, 124.9, 125.0, 125.3, 130.5, 130.7, 132.0, 132.7, 135.7, 149.9, 150.2, 156.3, 159.4, 162.0, 170.8, 172.6; IR (neat) ν_{max} /cm⁻¹ 1152, 1255, 1368, 1452, 1511, 1615, 1717, 2941, 3296; HRMS (ESI) *m/z* calculated for C₄₅H₅₄N₆NaO₁₃S [M+Na]⁺ 941.3362; found 941.3373.

***N*-(Alloc)-*N*ⁱⁿ-(Boc)-D-tryptophanyl-aza(Fmoc)-sulfurylglyciny-*N*ⁱⁿ-(Boc)-tryptophan 2,4-dimethoxybenzyl ester (**153**)**

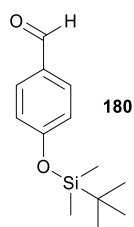


Sulfamide **152** (50 mg, 0.054 mmol) was dissolved in THF (1 mL). DIEA (9.89 μ L, 0.060 mmol) and Fmoc chloride (15.5 mg, 0.060 mmol) were added and the mixture was stirred at room temperature for 24 h. The THF was evaporated and the crude was purified by flash chromatography eluting with a gradient of 50-75% Et₂O:petroleum ether to afford carbazate **153** (34 mg, 0.0298 mmol, 55 %) as a solid: *R*_f 0.54 (3:1 Et₂O:petroleum ether); mp 104 °C; [α]_D²⁰ 13.1° (CHCl₃, *c* 0.88); ¹H NMR (CDCl₃, 500 MHz) showed a 3:7 mixture of carbazate isomers: δ 1.63 (9H, s) [1.59 (9H, s)], 1.65 (9H, s), 3.10-3.25 (4H, m), 3.74 (3H, s) [3.70 (3H, s)], 3.75 (3H, s), 4.15-4.20 (1H, m) [4.10-4.15 (1H, m)], 4.25-4.35 (1H, m), 4.45-4.55 (2H, m), 4.55-4.65 (2H, m), 4.75-4.85 (1H, m), 5.05-5.15 (2H, m) [5.00-5.05 (2H, m)] 5.17 (1H, d, *J* = 10.4), 5.23 (1H, d, *J* = 17.1), 5.41 (1H, br) [5.31 (1H, d, *J* = 7.7)], 5.75-5.90 (1H, m), 6.05-6.10 (1H, br) [6.00-6.05 (1H, br)], 6.30-6.40 (2H, m), 7.09 (1H, d, *J* = 8.4) [6.95-7.00 (1H, m)], 7.15-7.40 (7H, m), 7.40-7.60 (6H, m), 7.60-7.70 (2H, m), 7.70-7.75 (1H, m), 8.00-8.10 (2H, m), 8.10-8.20 (1H, br) [8.65-8.70 (1H, br)]; ¹³C NMR (CDCl₃, 125 MHz): δ 28.45, 28.52, 29.0, 30.0, 30.7, 46.9, 53.5 (53.2), 55.7, 57.0 (57.7), 63.9 (63.8), 66.7 (66.5), 70.1, 83.9, 84.2, 98.8, 104.3, 114.7, 114.9, 115.5, 115.7, 115.9, 118.5, 119.4, 119.5, 120.3, 120.4, 122.9, 123.1, 123.2, 124.7, 124.9, 125.0, 125.1, 125.34, 125.30, 125.6, 125.9, 127.54, 127.47, 128.2, 130.9, 131.8, 132.6, 135.7, 135.9, 141.6, 143.3, 143.6, 149.9, 151.6, 159.4, 161.8, 170.2, 170.9, 170.96, 171.05; IR (neat) ν_{max} /cm⁻¹ 1152, 1208, 1255, 1368, 1451, 1510, 1614, 1727, 2935, 3295; HRMS (ESI) *m/z* calculated for C₆₀H₆₄N₆NaO₁₅S [M+Na]⁺ 1163.4043; found 1163.4040.

Scheme 7. Synthesis of 4-(TBDMSO)benzyl bromide (64)

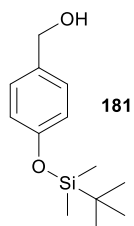


4-(TBDMSO)benzaldehyde (180)



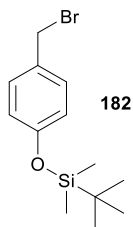
Imidazole (5.11 g, 75.0 mmol) was dissolved in dry DCM (250 mL) in a 500 mL flamed dried flask under argon, cooled to 0 °C, treated with 4-hydroxybenzaldehyde (**179**, 5.00 g, 40.9 mmol), followed by tert-butyldimethylsilyl chloride (6.78 g, 45.0 mmol), and allowed to warm to room temperature. After stirring for 18 h, the mixture was washed with water (3 x 100 mL). The organic layer was dried over MgSO₄, filtered and evaporated to a residue, that was purified by flash chromatography eluting with hexane:EtOAc 19:1 to afford aldehyde **180** as an oil (8.38 g, 87%): *R_f* 0.68 (hexane:EtOAc 4:1); ¹H NMR (CDCl₃, 400 MHz) δ 0.27 (6H, s), 1.02 (9H, s), 6.97 (2H, d, *J* = 8.3), 7.81 (2H, d, *J* = 8.3), 9.91 (1H, s); ¹³C NMR (CDCl₃, 100 MHz) δ -4.0, 18.6, 25.9, 120.8, 130.7, 132.2, 161.8, 191.2; IR (neat) *v*_{max}/cm⁻¹ 1157, 1212, 1275, 1473, 1508, 1599, 1698, 2859, 2933; HRMS (ESI) *m/z* calculated for C₁₃H₂₁O₂Si [M+H]⁺ 237.1305; found 237.1314.

4-(TBDMSO)benzyl alcohol (181)



Aldehyde **180** (3.00 g, 12.7 mmol) was dissolved in EtOH (25 mL), cooled to 0 °C, and treated with NaBH₄ (0.96 g, 25.4 mmol). After stirring for 2 h, the solution was poured slowly into 150 mL of 1 N HCl at 0 °C. The aqueous solution was then extracted with Et₂O (4 x 150 mL) and the organic phase was dried over MgSO₄, filtered and evaporated to a residue. The residue was purified by flash chromatography eluting with hexane: EtOAc 4:1 to afford alcohol **181** as an oil (2.68 g, 88%): *R_f* 0.32 (Hexane:EtOAc 4:1); ¹H NMR (CDCl₃, 400MHz) δ 0.24 (6H, s), 1.03 (9H, s), 2.43 (1H, br) 4.58 (2H, s), 6.86 (2H, d, *J* = 8.1), 7.23 (2H, d, *J* = 8.1); ¹³C NMR (CDCl₃, 100 MHz) δ -4.1, 18.5, 26.0, 65.2, 120.4, 128.8, 134.0, 155.5; IR (neat) *v*_{max}/cm⁻¹ 1254, 1472, 1510, 1610, 2857, 2930, 3339; HRMS (ESI) *m/z* calculated for C₁₃H₂₃O₂Si [M+H]⁺ 239.1462; found 239.1457.

4-(TBDMSO)benzyl bromide (**182**)



Phosphorus tribromide (35 μL, 0.38 mmol) was dissolved in dry DCM (30 mL), cooled to 0 °C, and treated drop-wise with a solution of alcohol **181** (180 mg, 0.76 mmol) in dry DCM (40 mL). After stirring at 0 °C for 30 min, the mixture was filtered through a small plug of silica gel to afford benzyl bromide **182** as an oil (215 mg, 95%: *R_f* 0.77 (hexane: EtOAc, 9:1); ¹H NMR (CDCl₃, 400 MHz) δ 0.26 (6H, s), 1.04 (9H, s), 4.53 (2H, s), 6.85 (2H, d, *J* = 8.5), 7.31 (2H, d, *J* = 8.5); ¹³C NMR (CDCl₃, 100 MHz) δ -4.1, 18.5, 26.0, 34.3, 120.6, 130.7, 130.8, 156.2; IR (neat) *v*_{max}/cm⁻¹ 1269, 1511, 1608, 2859, 2929, 2953.

Solid Phase Synthesis

General Methods

Fmoc-Rink resins (**183**, 100–200 mesh, 0.64 and 1.00 mmol / g loading) were purchased respectively from NovaBiochem® (EMD Bioscience Inc., San Diego, CA, USA) and Advanced ChemTech® (Louisville, Kentucky, USA). Amino acids [*e.g.*, Fmoc-Lys(Boc), Fmoc-D-Phe, Fmoc-D-Trp(Boc), Fmoc-Ala, Fmoc- and Boc-His(Trt)] were purchased from GL Biochem® (Shanghai, China) Ltd. *O*-Benzotriazole-*N,N,N',N'*-tetramethyl-uronium-hexafluoro-phosphate (HBTU) and hydroxybenzotriazole (HOBt) were purchased from GL Biochem®. Tetrakis(triphenylphosphine)palladium(0) [Pd(PPh₃)₄], 1,3-Dimethylbarbituric acid (DMBA), sodium diethyldithiocarbamate (Et₂NCS₂Na), Di-*iso*-propylethylamine (DIEA), di-*iso*-propylcarbodiimide (DIC), triethylsilane (TES), 4-fluorobenzyl bromide, 4-methoxybenzyl bromide, and 2-(bromomethyl)-naphthalene (**184**), all were purchased from Aldrich® and used as received. Unless stated otherwise, all alkylations and coupling reactions were monitored by reverse phase high performance liquid chromatography-mass spectrometry (RP-HPLC-MS) on either a Sunfire™ C18 3.5 micron, 2.1 x 50 mm column or on a Gemini C18 5.0 micron, 4.6 x 150 mm column using UV detection at $\lambda = 214$ nm, a flow rate of 0.4 mL / min for the Sunfire™ column or 0.5 mL / min for the Gemini® column and an eluent containing solvent A [H₂O containing 0.1% formic acid (FA)] and solvent B (MeOH containing 0.1% FA). RP-HPLC analyses of crude and purified peptides were performed on the same columns using the specified gradient. Peptides were purified with a Gemini® 5 micron C18 110A column (Phenomenex® Inc., 250×21.2 mm, 5 μ m) using the specified linear gradient of MeOH (0.1% FA) in water (0.1% FA), with a flow rate of 10.0 mL / min.

General protocol for Fmoc deprotection and washings

The Fmoc protecting group was removed by treating the resin with a solution of 20% piperidine in DMF for 30 min. The resin was filtered, washed and filtered successively using 15 sec agitations with DMF (3 times), MeOH (3 times) and DCM (3 times), sequentially.

General protocol for the HBTU couplings

The resin was swollen in DMF (1.5 mL) for 30 min. Meanwhile, a solution of the desired Fmoc-amino acid (3.0 eq.) and HBTU (3.0 eq.) in DMF (1.5 mL) was stirred for 1 min, treated with DIEA (6.0 eq.), stirred for 5 min and then added to the swollen resin. The reaction mixture was shaken for 18 h at room temperature. The resin was then filtered and washed as described above, and dried *in vacuo*.

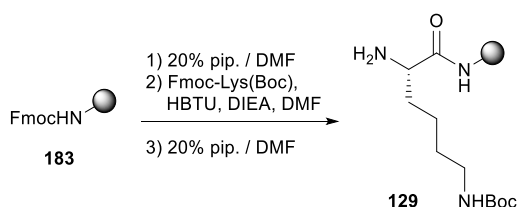
General protocol for cleavage of aliquots of resin-bound peptide for analysis by LC-MS

Fmoc-Protected resin (5 mg) in a 1 mL plastic filtration tube with a polyethylene filter was treated with 20% piperidine in DMF as described above. The resin was swollen and cleaved with 0.5 mL of a cocktail of TFA:H₂O:TES (95:2.5:2.5) for 1 h at room temperature. The resin was filtered. The filtrate was collected in a 1.5 mL Eppendorf® tube and its volume was concentrated by bubbling air through the solution. A precipitate was then produced on addition of Et₂O (1 mL), and collected with a centrifuge for 2 min. After decantation of the ethereal solvent, the precipitate was dissolved in H₂O (1 mL) and analyzed by LC-MS. Resin without Fmoc-protection (5 mg) was directly cleaved and treated as described above in a 1 mL plastic filtration tube with a polyethylene filter.

General protocol for peptide cleavage

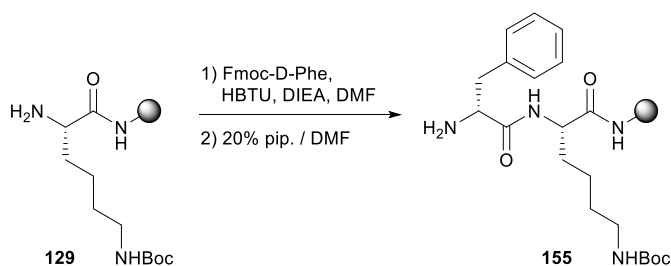
Peptide was cleaved from the resin (100 mg) using a cocktail of TFA:H₂O:TES (95:2.5:2.5, 2 mL) for 3 h in a cold room (4 °C). The resin was filtered and washed with TFA (2 x 2 mL). The filtrate was collected in a 50 mL Eppendorf tube and concentrated by bubbling air. A precipitate was produced by adding Et₂O (50 mL) to the concentrate, and collected with a centrifuge for 5 min. The ethereal solvent was decanted. The precipitate was dissolved in H₂O (5 mL) and freeze-dried to a solid.

Lys(Boc)-NH-Rink resin (**129**)



Fmoc-Rink resin (**183**, 1.25 g, 0.64 mmol / g, 0.80 mmol or 1.00 g, 1.00 mmol / g, 1.00 mmol) was swollen in DMF (8 mL) in a 12 mL plastic filtration tube with a polyethylene filter, treated with 20% piperidine in DMF (8 mL) to remove the Fmoc group as described above, and coupled to Fmoc-Lys(Boc) (respectively 1.12 g, 2.40 mmol or 1.41 g, 3.00 mmol) using HBTU (respectively 0.91 g, 2.40 mmol or 1.14 g, 3.00 mmol) and DIEA (respectively 0.83 mL, 4.80 mmol or 1.00 mL, 6.00 mL) as described in the general protocol. After washing the resin with DMF (3 x 8 mL), MeOH (3 x 8 mL) and DCM (3 x 8 mL), the resin was treated with 20% piperidine in DMF (8 mL) to remove the Fmoc group, which afforded resin **129**.

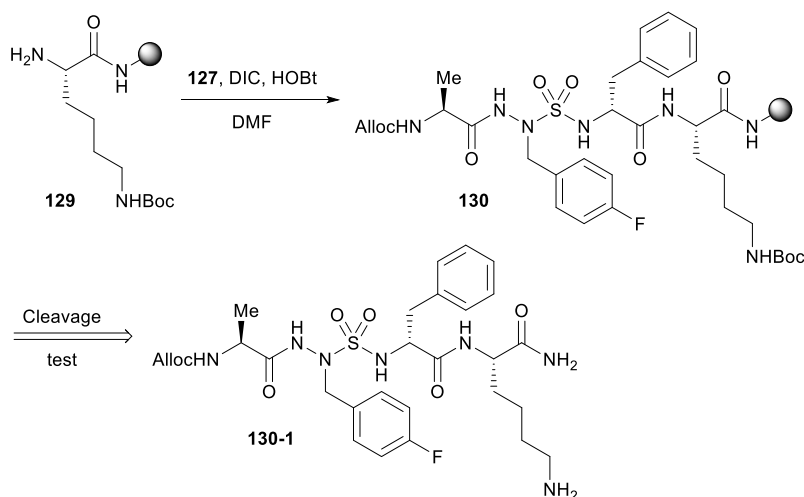
D-Phe-Lys(Boc)-NH-Rink resin (**155**)



Starting from resin **129** (500 mg, 0.45 mmol / g, 0.22 mmol), Fmoc-D-Phe (261 mg, 0.673 mmol), DIEA (223 μ L, 1.35 mmol) and HBTU (255 mg, 0.673 mmol) in DMF (4 mL), the coupling was accomplished as described for resin **129**. After washing the resin with DMF (3 x 8 mL), MeOH (3 x 8 mL) and DCM (3 x 8 mL), the resin was treated with 20% piperidine in DMF (8 mL) to remove the Fmoc group, which afforded resin **155**.

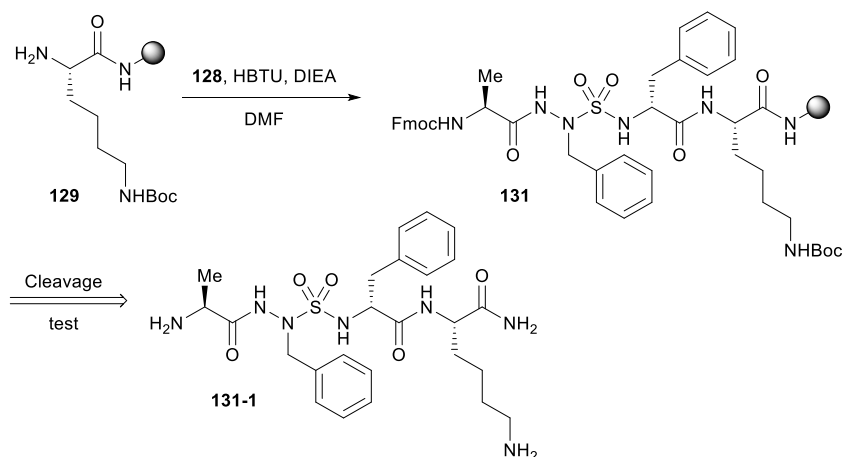
Building block approach (Method A)

N-(Alloc)-Ala-AsF(4-F)-D-Phe-Lys(Boc)-NH-Rink resin (**130**)



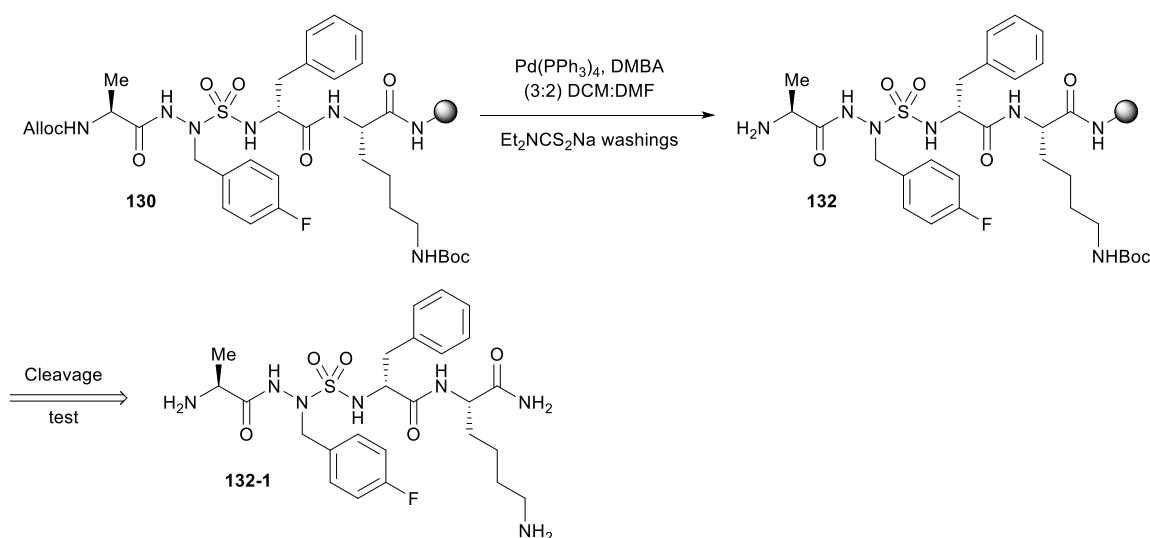
Resin **29** (264 mg, 0.42 mmol / g, 0.111 mmol) was swollen in DMF (3 mL) in a 6 mL plastic filtration tube with a polyethylene filter. Meanwhile, a solution of tripeptide **127** (87 mg, 0.166 mmol) and HOBT (23 mg, 0.166 mmol) in DMF (3 mL) was stirred for 1 min, treated with DIC (25.9 μ L, 0.166 mmol), stirred for 5 min and then added to the resin. The resin mixture was shaken for 18 h at room temperature. The resin was filtered and washed as described above to afford resin **130**: [**130-1**, *R_t* 6.86 min: Sunfire™ column; gradient: 5%-80% MeOH (0.1% FA) for 7.5 min + 90% MeOH (0.1% FA) for 2.0 min]. The unreacted amine was capped after treatment of the resin with acetic anhydride (57 μ L, 0.6 mmol) and DIEA (100 μ L, 0.6 mmol) in DMF (2 mL), shaking for 0.5 h, washing, and drying *in vacuo*.

***N*-(Fmoc)-Ala-AsF-D-Phe-Lys(Boc)-NH-Rink resin (**131**)**

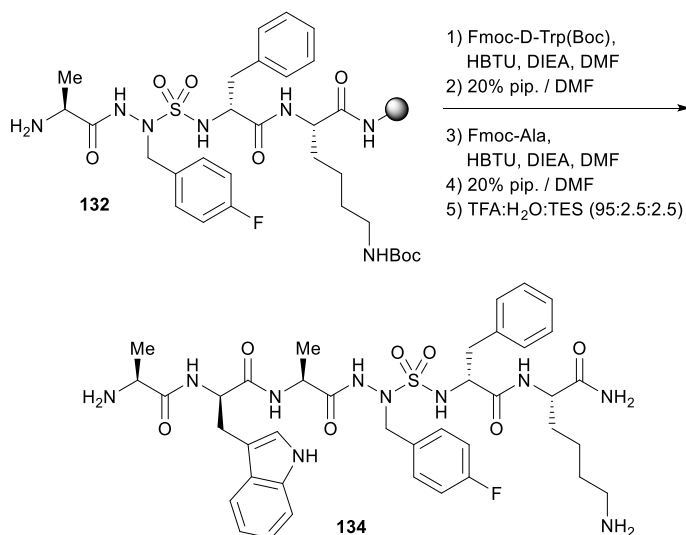


Resin **129** (188 mg, 0.64 mmol / g, 0.12 mmol) was swollen in DMF (2 mL) in a 3 mL plastic filtration tube with a polyethylene filter. Meanwhile, a solution of tripeptide **128** (77 mg, 0.12 mmol) and HBTU (46 mg, 0.12 mmol) in DMF (2 mL) was stirred for 1 min, treated with DIEA (42 μ L, 0.24 mmol), stirred for 5 min and then added to the resin. The resin mixture was shaken for 18 h at room temperature. The resin was filtered and washed as described above to afford resin **131**: [**131-1**, *R_t* 4.97 min: Sunfire™ column; gradient: 5%-80% MeOH (0.1% FA) for 7.5 min + 90% MeOH (0.1% FA) for 2.0 min]. The unreacted amine was capped after treatment of the resin with acetic anhydride (57 μ L, 0.6 mmol) and DIEA (100 μ L, 0.6 mmol) in DMF (2 mL), shaking for 0.5 h, washing, and drying *in vacuo*.

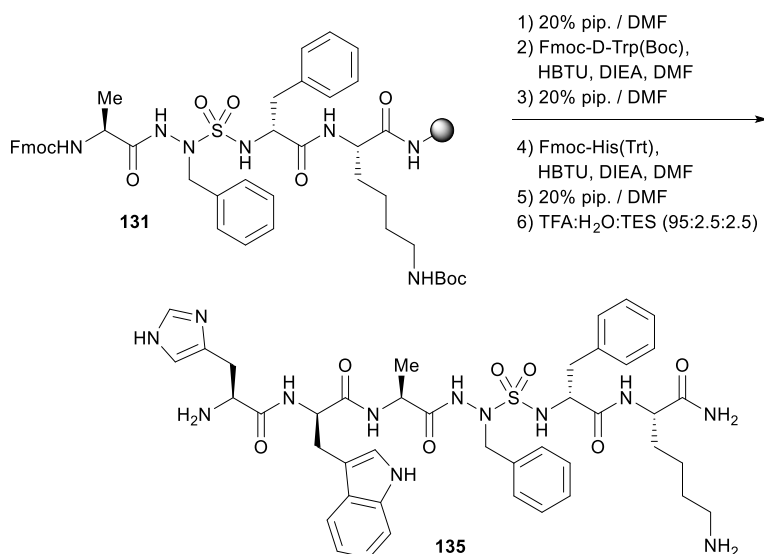
Ala-AsF(4-F)-D-Phe-Lys(Boc)-NH-Rink resin (**132**)



Resin **130** was swollen in DMF (2 mL) for 30 min, filtered, and treated with a solution of $\text{Pd(PPh}_3)_4$ (16 mg, 0.014 mmol, freshly washed with EtOH) and 1,3-dimethylbarbituric acid (111 mg, 0.47 mmol, 7.0 eq.) in 2 mL of 3:2 DCM:DMF. After shaking at room temperature for 2 h, the resin was filtered and retreated with the same conditions for a second time for 2 h. The resin was filtered, washed, treated with 0.5% sodium diethyldithiocarbamate (2 mL) for 30 min, filtered and washed two more times with 0.5% sodium diethyldithiocarbamate (2 mL) for 15 sec. The resin was washed as described above to afford resin **132**: [**132-1**, R_t 4.28 min: SunfireTM column; gradient: 5%-80% MeOH (0.1% FA) for 7.5 min + 90% MeOH (0.1% FA) for 2.0 min].

Ala-D-Trp-Ala-AsF(4-F)-D-Phe-Lys-NH₂ (134)

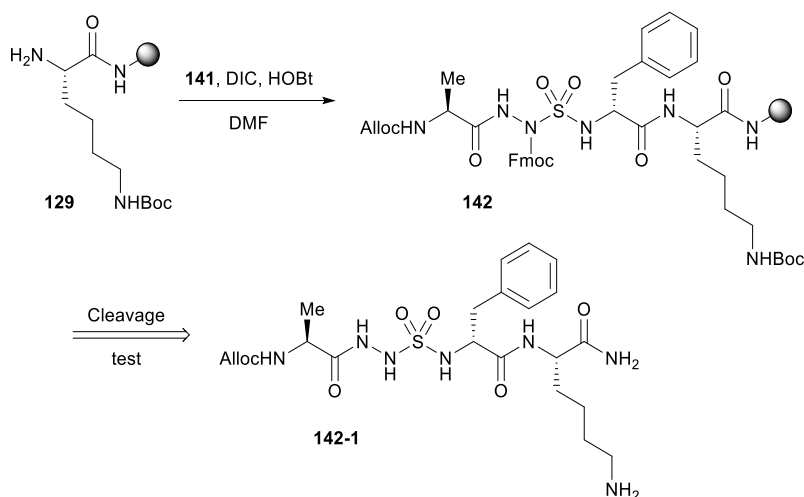
Azasulfurypeptide **134** was synthesized from resin **132** by sequential Fmoc group removals, HBTU couplings of Fmoc-D-Trp(Boc), followed by Fmoc-Ala and resin cleavage using the respective general protocols described above. Analysis of a resin aliquot as described above indicated peptide **134** to be of 59% purity: *R_t* 8.82 min using a Sunfire column and a gradient of 20%-80% MeOH (0.1% FA) in water (0.1% FA) for 14 min. The TFA salt was purified by preparative RP-HPLC using a Gemini 5 micron C18 110A column (Phenomenex® Inc., 250×21.2 mm, 5 μm) with a gradient of 35%-50% MeOH (0.1% FA) in water (0.1% FA), with a flow rate of 10.0 mL/min, to afford the desired FA salt **134** (6.5 mg, 23%). The purified product was analyzed by analytical RP-HPLC using the Sunfire column and revealed to be of >99% purity: gradient 1: *R_t* 6.79 min [20%-80% MeOH (0.1% FA) in water (0.1% FA) for 7.5 min followed by 90% MeOH (0.1% FA) in water (0.1% FA) for 2.0 min]; Gradient 2: *R_t* 7.65 min [10%-80% MeCN (0.1% FA) in water (0.1% FA) for 7.5 min followed by 90% MeCN (0.1% FA) in water (0.1% FA) for 2.0 min]. HRMS (ESI) *m/z* calculated for C₃₉H₅₁FN₁₀O₇S [M+Na]⁺ 845.3647; found 845.3539.

His-D-Trp-Ala-AsF-D-Phe-Lys-NH₂ (135)

Azasulfurpeptide **135** was synthesized from resin **131** by sequential Fmoc group removals, HBTU couplings with Fmoc-D-Trp(Boc), followed by Fmoc-His(Trt) and resin cleavage using the respective general protocols described above. Analysis of a resin aliquot as described above indicated peptide **135** to be of 73% purity: *R_t* 13.08 min on a Gemini C18 column with a gradient of 0%-80% MeOH (0.1% FA) in water (0.1% FA) for 30.0 min, followed by 90% MeOH (0.1% FA) in water (0.1% FA) for 10.0 min. The TFA salt was purified by preparative RP-HPLC using a Gemini® 5 micron C18 110A column (Phenomenex® Inc., 250×21.2 mm, 5 μm) with a gradient of 30%-55% MeOH (0.1% FA) in water (0.1% FA), with a flow rate of 10.0 mL / min, to afford the desired formic acid (FA) salt **135** (11.0 mg, 12%). The purified product was analyzed by analytical RP-HPLC using a Gemini® 5 micron C18 110A column (Phenomenex® Inc., 150 × 4.6 mm, 5 μm) and revealed to be of 99% purity: Gradient 1: *R_t* 18.95 min [5%-80% MeOH (0.1% FA) in water (0.1% FA) for 30.0 min + 90% MeOH (0.1% FA) in water (0.1% FA) for 10.0 min]; Gradient 2: *R_t* 13.55 min [5%-80% MeCN (0.1% FA) in water (0.1% FA) for 30.0 min + 90% MeCN (0.1% FA) in water (0.1% FA) for 10.0 min]. HRMS (ESI) *m/z* calculated for C₄₂H₅₄N₁₂NaO₇S [M+Na]⁺ 893.3851; found 893.3832.

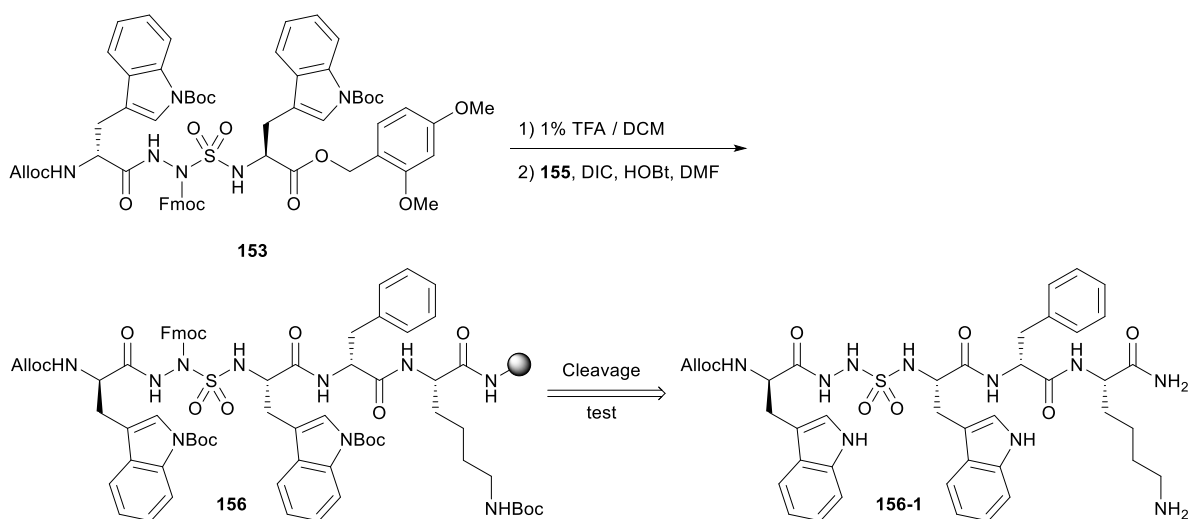
Diversity-oriented approach (Method B)

N-(Alloc)-Ala-AsG(Fmoc)-D-Phe-Lys(Boc)-NH-Rink resin (**142**)



Starting from resin **129** (497 mg, 1.00 mmol / g, 0.497 mmol), tripeptide **141** (396 mg, 0.621 mmol), DIC (97 μ L, 0.621 mmol) and HOBt (84 mg, 0.621 mmol) in DMF (2 mL), resin **142** was synthesized as described for resin **130**. The resin mixture was filtered and washed as described above to afford resin **142**. Analysis of a resin aliquot as described above indicated peptide **142-1** (*R_t* 4.53 min) to be of 78% purity: Sunfire™ column using a gradient of 5%-80% MeOH (0.1% FA) in water (0.1% FA) for 7.5 min + 90% MeOH (0.1% FA) in water (0.1% FA) for 2.0 min at 0.5 mL/min. The resin was then dried *in vacuo*.

***N*-(Alloc)-D-Trp(Boc)-AsG(Fmoc)-Trp(Boc)-D-Phe-Lys(Boc)-NH-Rink resin (**156**)**

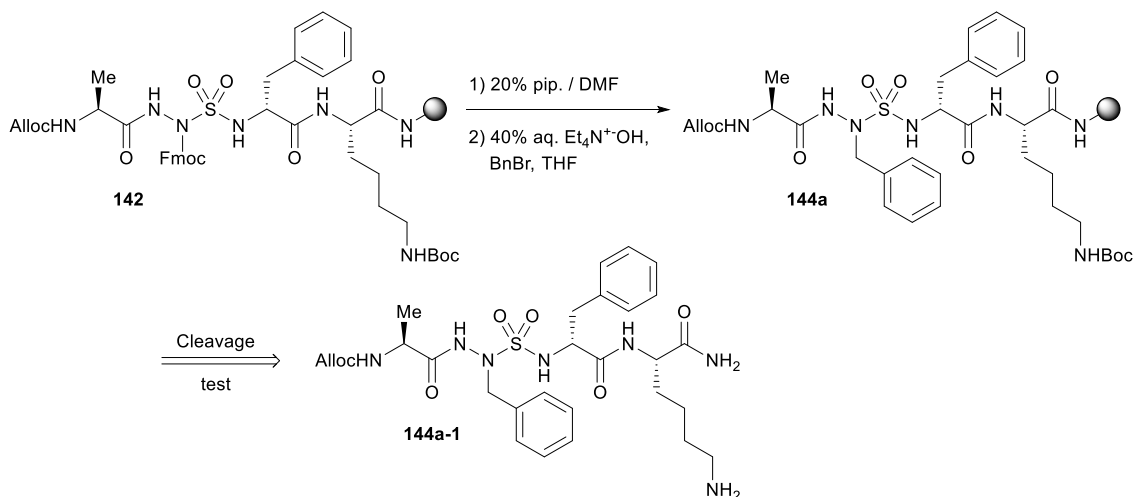


2,4-Dimethoxybenzyl ester **153** (100 mg, 0.088 mmol) was treated with 1% of TFA in DCM (2.5 mL) for 1 h at room temperature. The volatiles were evaporated and Et₂O (5 mL) was added. The precipitate was filtered and the filtrate was evaporated to afford acid **154**. Then, starting from resin **155** (116 mg, 0.42 mmol / g, 0.049 mmol), tripeptide **154** (85 mg, 0.086 mmol), DIC (13.4 μ L, 0.086 mmol) and HOBT (12 mg, 0.086 mmol) in DMF (2 mL), resin **156** was synthesized as described for resin **130**. Unreacted starting material was capped by adding acetic anhydride (24 μ L, 0.25 mmol) and DIEA (41 μ L, 0.25 mmol) in DMF (2 mL) to the resin, and shaking for 0.5 h, followed by the washing procedure. The resin was then dried *in vacuo*. Analysis of a resin aliquot as described above indicated peptide **156-1** (*R_t* 12.1 min) to be of 40% purity contaminated with 31% of unreacted starting material (*R_t* 2.89 min): Sunfire™ column using a gradient of 5%-90% MeOH (0.1% FA) in water (0.1% FA) for 12.0 min followed by 90% MeOH (0.1% FA) in water (0.1% FA) for 3.0 min.

Representative protocol for the alkylation of aryl halides on resin **142**

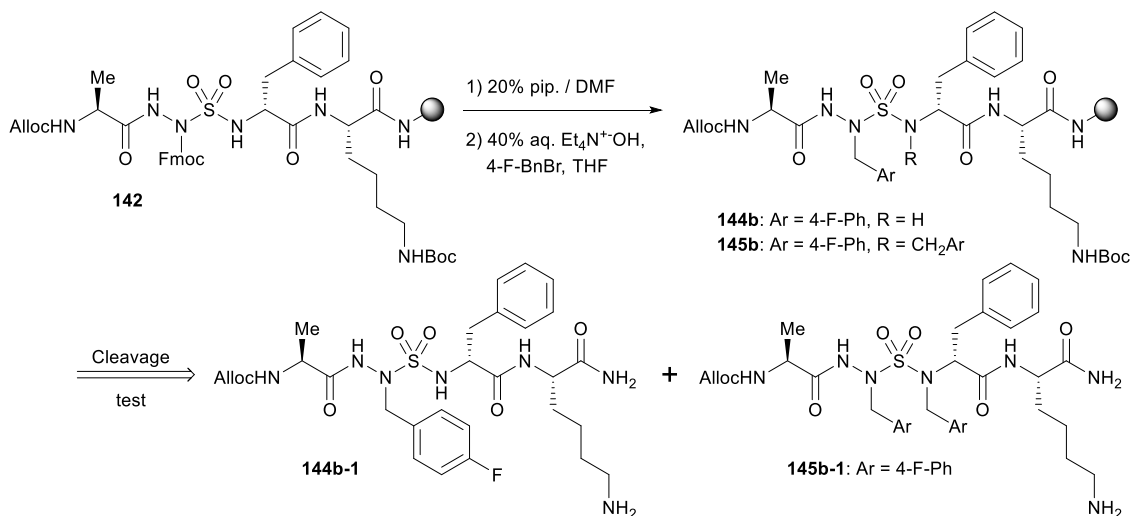
Resin **142** (100 mg, 0.071 mmol) was swollen in DMF, the Fmoc protection was removed, and the resin was washed as described above. A solution of 40% tetraethylammonium hydroxide in water (3.0 eq.) and alkyl halide (3.0 eq.) in DMF (2 mL) was added to the swollen resin, which was shaken at room temperature for 18 h, filtered, washed and dried *in vacuo*.

***N*-(Alloc)-Ala-AsF-D-Phe-Lys(Boc)-NH-Rink resin (144a)**



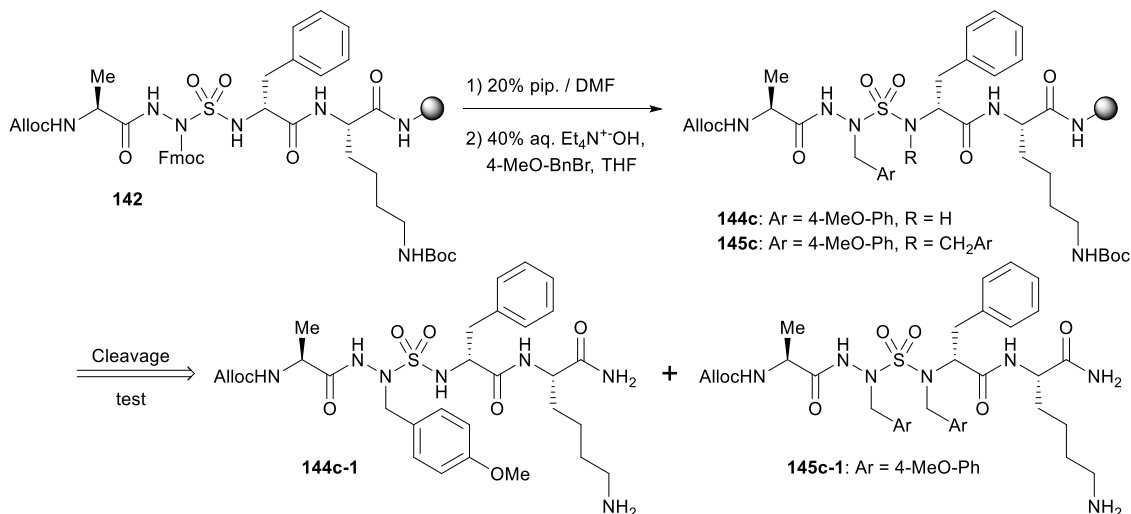
Employing resin **142** (100 mg, 0.071 mmol), 40% tetraethylammonium hydroxide in water (79 μ L, 0.214 mmol) and benzyl bromide (26 μ L, 0.214 mmol) in DMF (2 mL), resin **144a** was synthesized as described above. Analysis of a resin aliquot as described above indicated azasulfurylphenylalanine peptide **144a-1** to be of 75% purity: *R*_t 5.89 min on a Sunfire™ column with a gradient of 20%-80% MeOH (0.1% FA) in water (0.1% FA) for 6 min, followed by 90% MeOH (0.1% FA) in water (0.1% FA) for 2.0 min.

***N*-(Alloc)-Ala-AsF(4-F)-D-Phe-Lys(Boc)-NH-Rink resin (144b) and *N*-(Alloc)-Ala-AsF(4-F)-*N*-(4-F-Bn)-D-Phe-Lys(Boc)-NH-Rink resin (145b)**



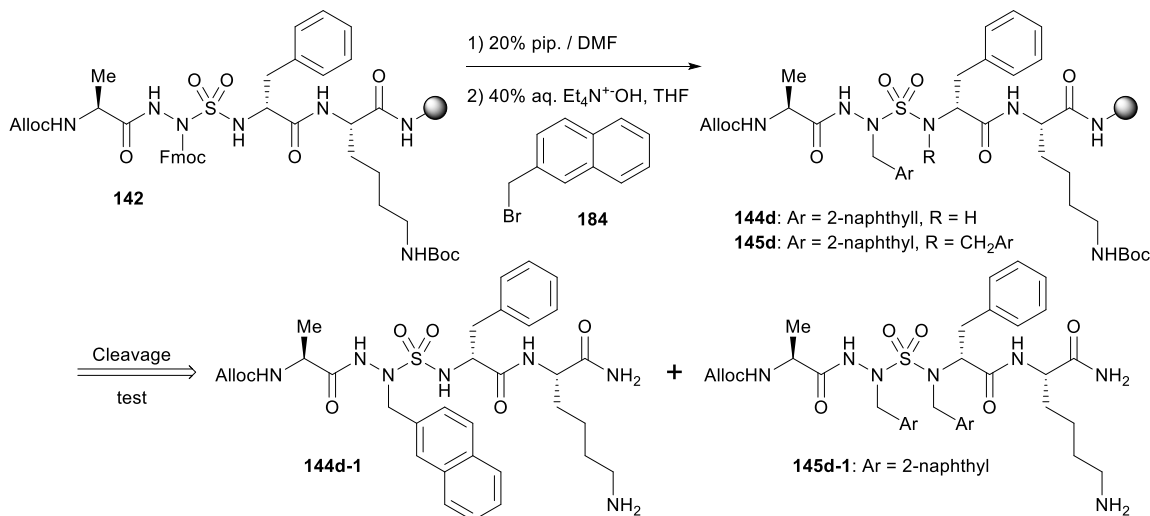
Employing resin **142** (100 mg, 0.071 mmol), 40% tetraethylammonium hydroxide in water (79 μ L, 0.214 mmol) and 4-fluorobenzyl bromide (27 μ L, 0.214 mmol) in DMF (2 mL), resin **144b** was synthesized as described above. Cleavage of an aliquot of the resin as described above and analysis by LC-MS indicated azasulfuryl-4-fluorophenylalanine peptide **144b-1** was of 75% purity (*R_t* 6.86 min) contaminated with bis-alkylation product peptide **145b-1** of 8% purity (*R_t* 8.33 min) using a Sunfire™ column with a gradient of 5%-80% MeOH (0.1% FA) for 7.5 min followed by 90% MeOH (0.1% FA) for 2.0 min.

***N*-(Alloc)-Ala-AsF-(4-MeO)-D-Phe-Lys(Boc)-NH-Rink resin (144c) and *N*-(Alloc)-Ala-AsF(4-MeO)-*N*-(4-MeO-Bn)-D-Phe-Lys(Boc)-NH-Rink resin (145c)**



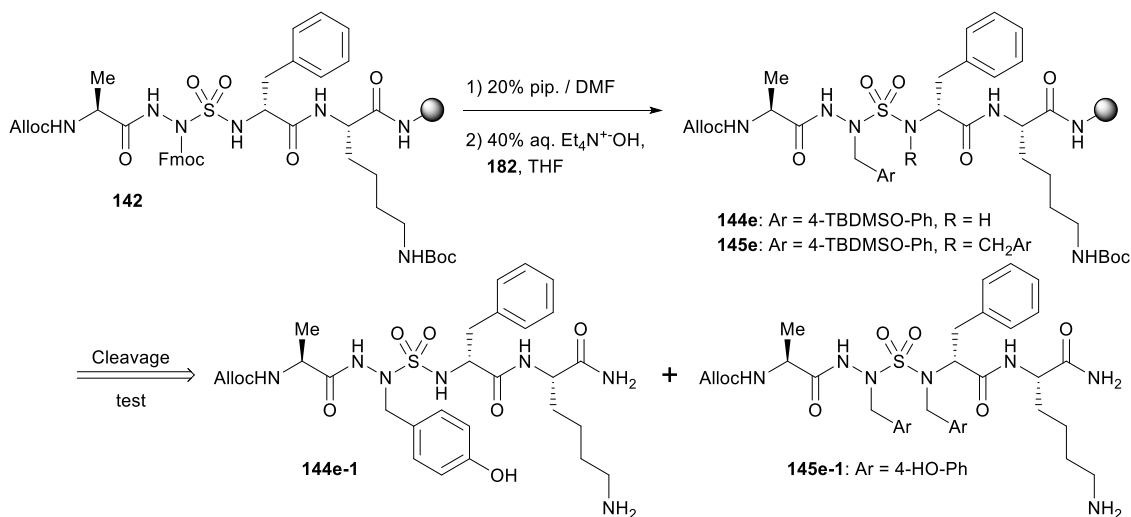
Employing resin **142** (100 mg, 0.071 mmol), 40% tetraethylammonium hydroxide in water (79 μ L, 0.214 mmol) and 4-methoxybenzyl bromide (32 μ L, 0.214 mmol), resin **144c** was synthesized as described above. Cleavage of an aliquot of the resin as described above and analysis by LC-MS indicated azasulfuryl-4-methoxyphenylalanine peptide **144c-1** was of 66% purity (*R_t* 6.71 min) contaminated with bis-alkylation product peptide **145c-1** of 11% purity (*R_t* 8.07 min): Sunfire™ column with a gradient of 5%-80% MeOH (0.1% FA) in water (0.1% FA) for 7.5 min followed by 90% MeOH (0.1% FA) in water (0.1% FA) for 2.0 min.

***N*-(Alloc)-Ala-AsA(2-naphthyl)-D-Phe-Lys(Boc)-NH-Rink resin (**144d**) and *N*-(Alloc)-Ala-AsA(2-naphthyl)-*N*-(2-naphthylmethyl)-D-Phe-Lys(Boc)-NH-Rink resin (**145d**)**



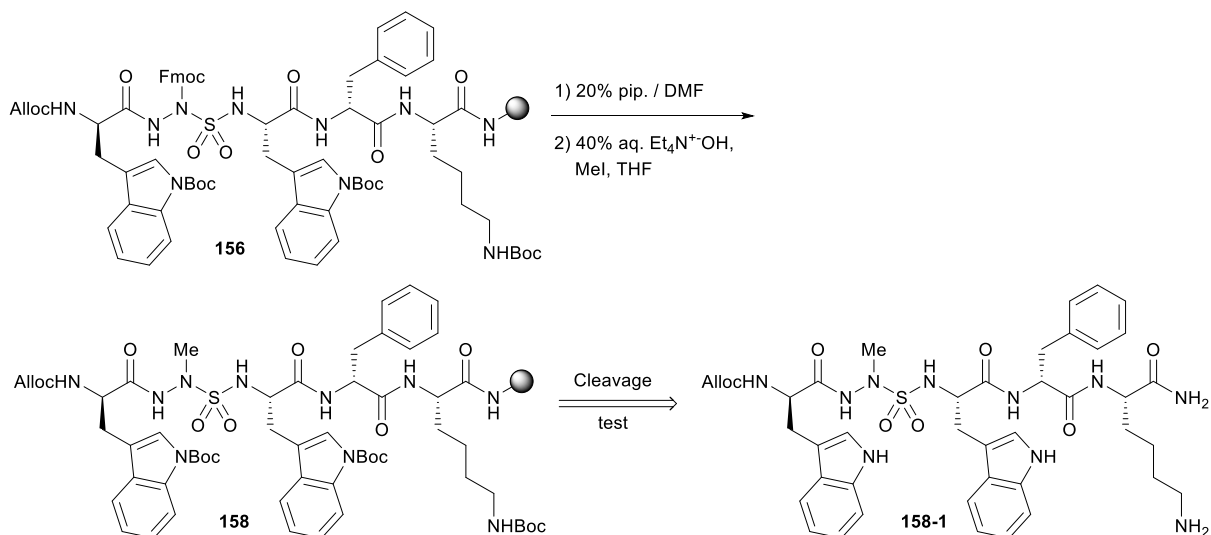
Employing resin **142** (100 mg, 0.071 mmol), 40% tetraethylammonium hydroxide in water (79 μL , 0.214 mmol) and 2-bromomethylnaphthalene (**184**, 47 mg, 0.214 mmol), resin **144d** was synthesized as described above. Cleavage of an aliquot of the resin as described above and analysis by LC-MS indicated azasulfuryl-2-naphthylalanine peptide **145d-1** was of 81% purity (R_t 7.71 min) contaminated with bis-alkylation product peptide **145d-1** of 7% purity (R_t 7.71 min): Sunfire™ column with a gradient of 5%-80% MeOH (0.1% FA) in water (0.1% FA) for 7.5 min followed by 90% MeOH (0.1% FA) in water (0.1% FA) for 2.0 min.

***N*-(Alloc)-Ala-AsF(4-TBDMSO)-D-Phe-Lys(Boc)-NH-Rink resin (**144e**) and *N*-(Alloc)-Ala-AsF(4-TBDMSO)-*N*-(4-TBDMSO-Bn)-D-Phe-Lys(Boc)-NH-Rink resin (**145e**)**



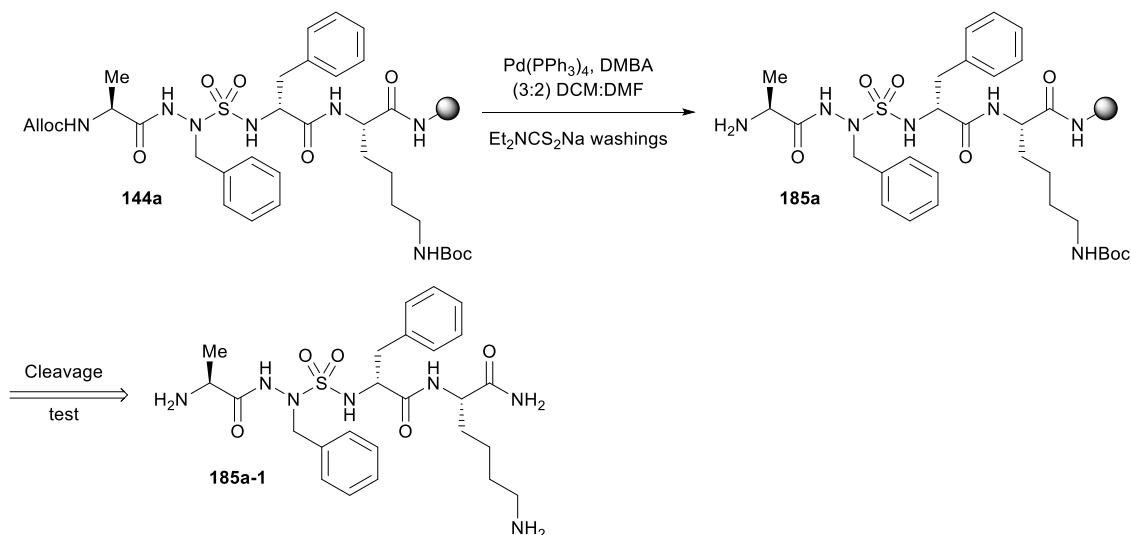
Employing resin **142** (100 mg, 0.071 mmol), 40% tetraethylammonium hydroxide in water (79 μ L, 0.214 mmol) and 4-(TBDMSO)benzyl bromide (**182**, 65 mg, 0.214 mmol), resin **144e** was synthesized as described above. Cleavage of an aliquot of the resin as described above and analysis by LC-MS indicated azasulfuryl-4-(TBDMSO)phenylalanine peptide **144e-1** was of 53% purity (*R_t* 6.09 min) contaminated with bis-alkylation product peptide **145e-1** of 5% purity (*R_t* 6.09 min): Sunfire™ column with a gradient of 5%-80% MeOH (0.1% FA) in water (0.1% FA) for 7.5 min followed by 90% MeOH (0.1% FA) in water (0.1% FA) for 2.0 min.

***N*-(Alloc)-D-Trp(Boc)-AsA-Trp(Boc)-D-Phe-Lys(Boc)-NH-Rink resin (**158**)**



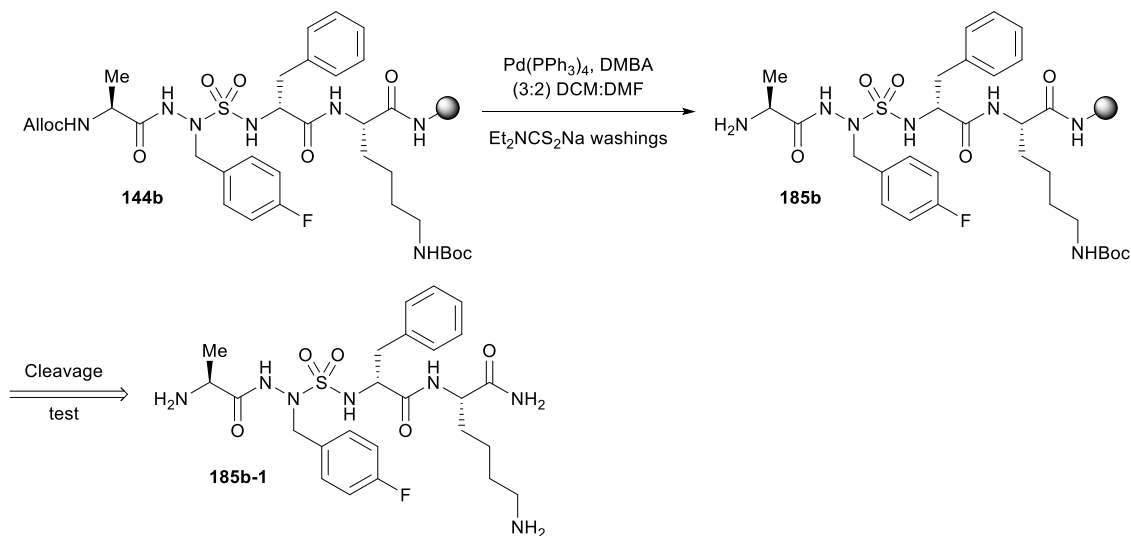
Treating resin **156** (91 mg, 0.015 mmol) with 40% tetraethylammonium hydroxide in water (18.7 μ L, 0.045 mmol) and iodomethane (2.78 μ L, 0.045 mmol) in DMF (2 mL) for 5 h, resin **158** was synthesized as described above. Analysis of a resin aliquot as described above indicated that the alkylation for azasulfurylalanine peptide **158-1** (*R_t* 7.74 min) to be of 60% conversion based on unalkylated starting material (*R_t* 7.65 min): Sunfire™ column with a gradient of 20%-80% MeOH (0.1% FA) in water (0.1% FA) for 12.0 min, followed by 90% MeOH (0.1% FA) in water (0.1% FA) for 3.0 min.

Ala-AsF-D-Phe-Lys(Boc)-NH-Rink resin (185a)



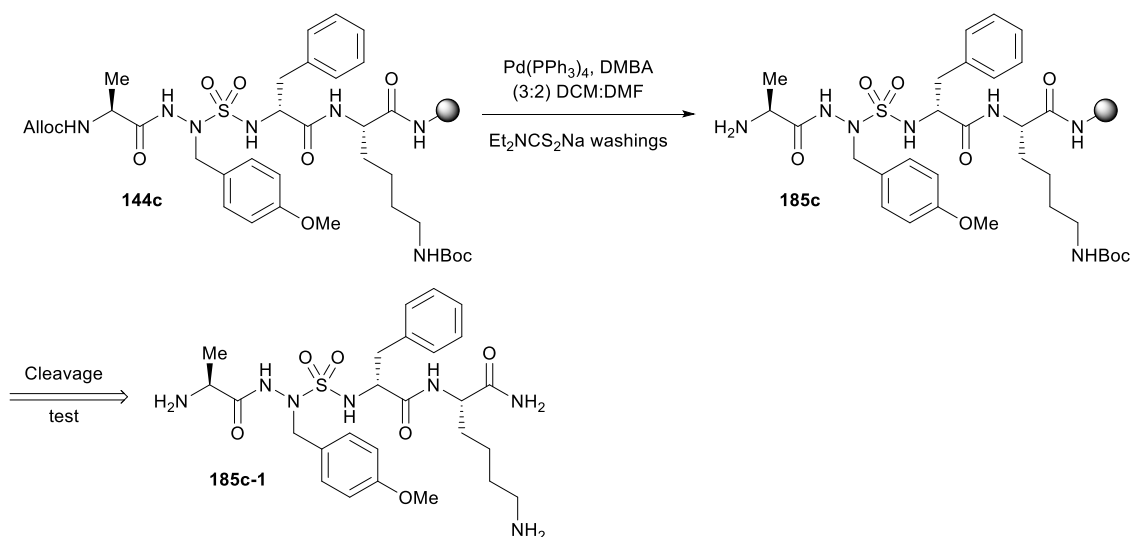
Starting from resin **144a** (100 mg, 0.067 mmol), the Alloc was cleaved as described for resin **132** to afford resin **185a**. Analysis of an aliquot as described indicated peptide **185a-1** to be of 70% purity: R_t 4.58 min using a Sunfire™ column and a gradient of 5%-80% MeOH (0.1% FA) in water (0.1% FA) for 6 min followed by 90% MeOH (0.1% FA) in water (0.1% FA) for 2.0 min.

Ala-AsF(4-F)-D-Phe-Lys(Boc)-NH-Rink resin (185b)



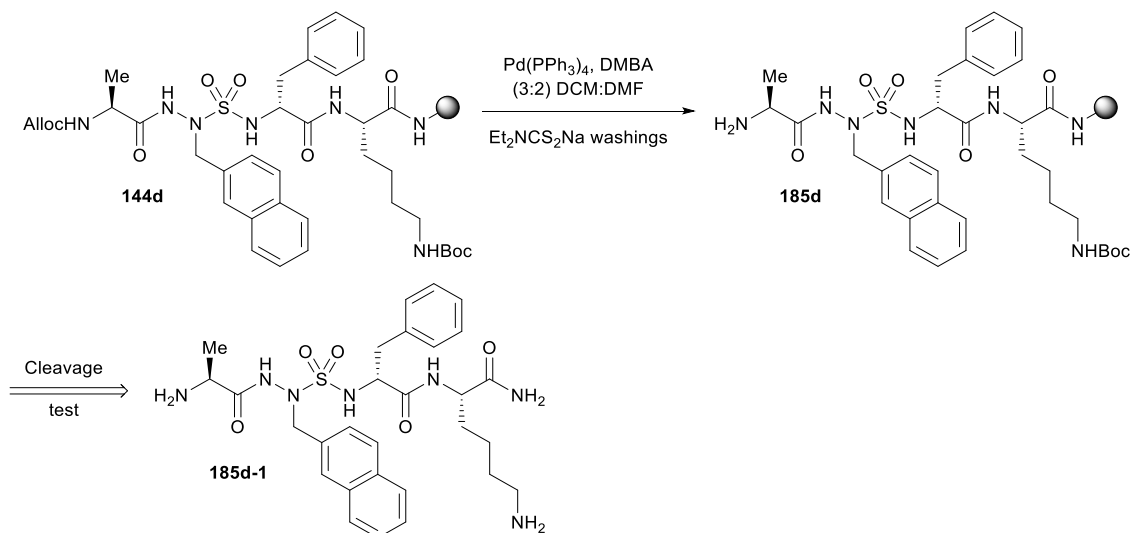
Starting from resin **144b** (100 mg, 0.066 mmol), the Alloc was cleaved as described for resin **132** to afford resin **185b**. Analysis of an aliquot as described indicated peptide **185b-1** to be of 54% purity: *Rt* 4.28 min using a Sunfire column and a gradient of 5%-80% MeOH (0.1% FA) in water (0.1% FA) for 7.5 min followed by 90% MeOH (0.1% FA) in water (0.1% FA) for 2.0 min.

Ala-AsF(4-MeO)-D-Phe-Lys(Boc)-NH-Rink resin (185c)



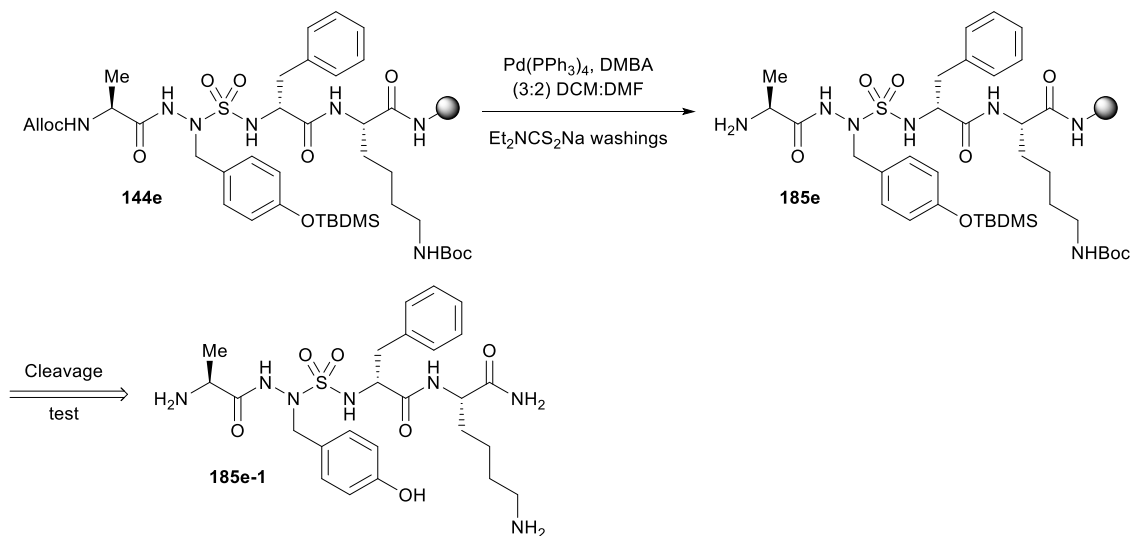
Starting from resin **144c** (100 mg, 0.066 mmol), the Alloc was cleaved as described for resin **132** to afford resin **185c**. Analysis of an aliquot as described indicated peptide **185c-1** to be of 61% purity: *Rt* 4.46 min using a Sunfire™ column and a gradient of 5%-80% MeOH (0.1% FA) in water (0.1% FA) for 7.5 min followed by 90% MeOH (0.1% FA) in water (0.1% FA) for 2.0 min.

Ala-AsA(2-naphthyl)-D-Phe-Lys(Boc)-NH-Rink resin (**185d**)



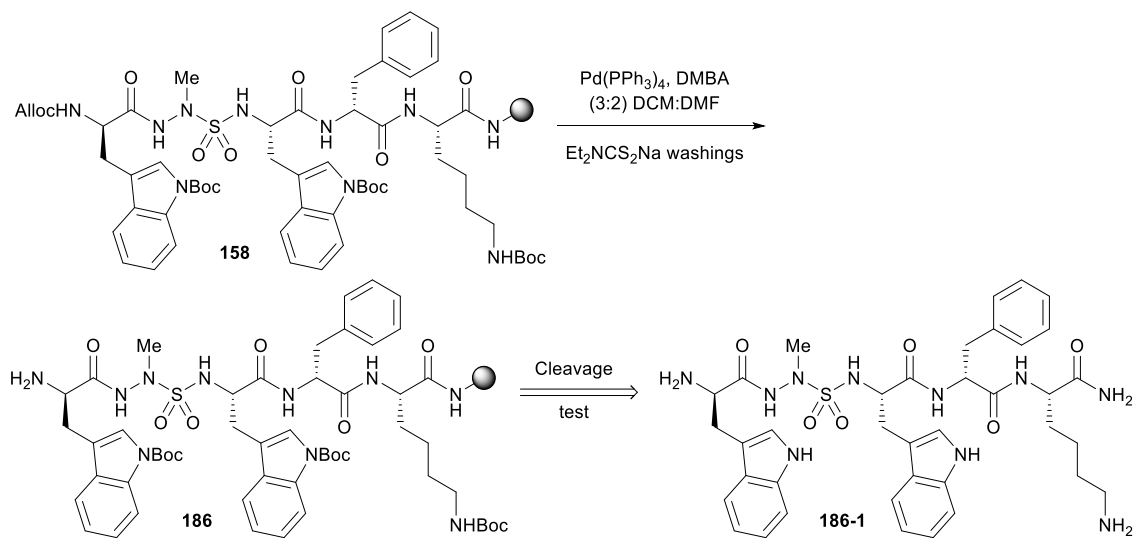
Starting from resin **144d** (100 mg, 0.065 mmol), the Alloc was cleaved as described for resin **132** to afford resin **185d**. Analysis of an aliquot as described indicated peptide **185d-1** to be of 51% purity: R_t 5.38 min using a Sunfire™ column and a gradient of 5%-80% MeOH (0.1% FA) in water (0.1% FA) for 7.5 min followed by 90% MeOH (0.1% FA) in water (0.1% FA) for 2.0 min.

Ala-AsF(4-TBDMSO)-D-Phe-Lys(Boc)-NH-Rink resin (**185e**)



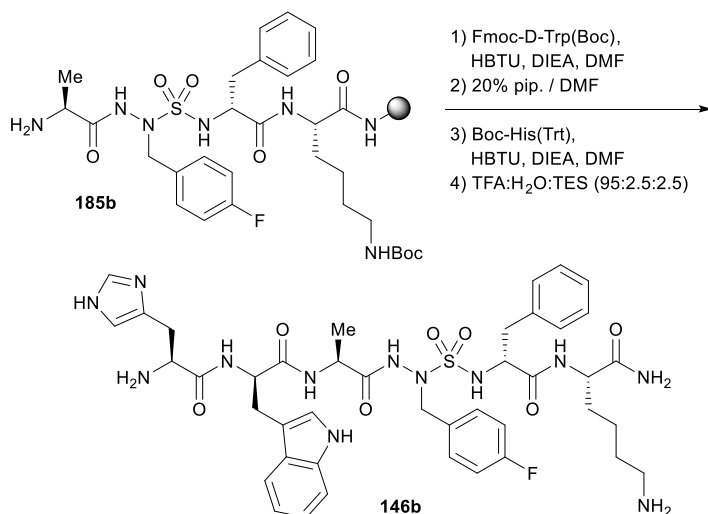
Starting from resin **185e** (100 mg, 0.065 mmol), the Alloc was cleaved as described for resin **132** to afford resin **185e**. Analysis of an aliquot as described indicated peptide **185e-1** to be of 53% purity: R_t 4.14 min; Sunfire™ column using a gradient of 5%-80% MeOH (0.1% FA) in water (0.1% FA) for 7.5 min followed by 90% MeOH (0.1% FA) in water (0.1% FA) for 2.0 min.

D-Trp(Boc)-AsA-Trp(Boc)-D-Phe-Lys(Boc)-NH-Rink resin (186)



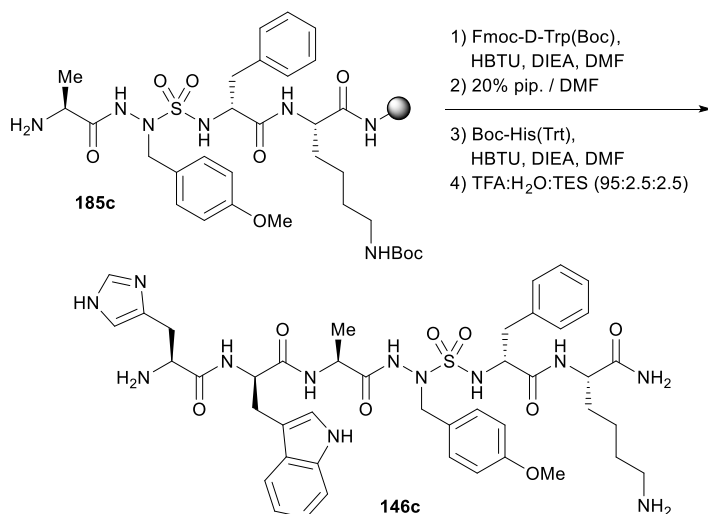
Starting from resin **158** (50 mg, 0.017 mmol), the Alloc was cleaved as described for resin **132** to afford resin **186**. Analysis of an aliquot as described indicated peptide **186-1** to be of 17% purity: R_t 6.07 min; Sunfire™ column using a gradient of 10%-80% MeOH (0.1% FA) in water (0.1% FA) for 7.5 min followed by 90% MeOH (0.1% FA) in water (0.1% FA) for 2.0 min.

His-D-Trp-Ala-AsF(4-F)-D-Phe-Lys-NH₂ (**146b**)



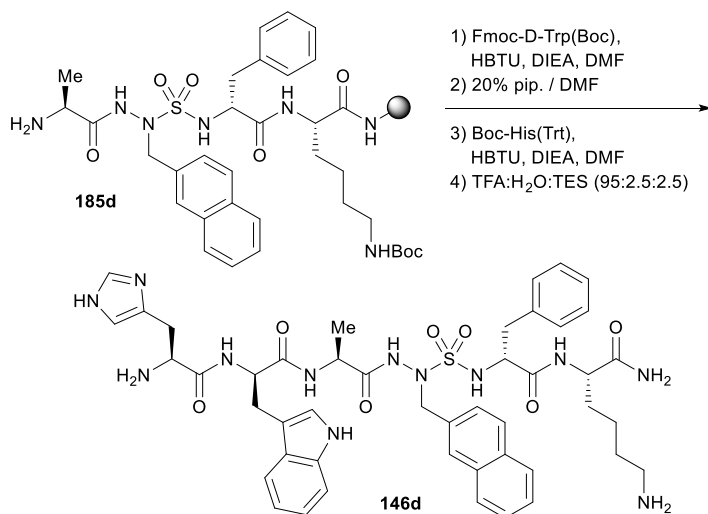
Azasulfurylpeptide **146b** was synthesized from resin **185b** by sequential Fmoc group removal, HBTU couplings of Fmoc-D-Trp(Boc), followed by Boc-His(Trt) and resin cleavage using the respective general protocols described above. Analysis of a resin aliquot as described above indicated peptide **146b** to be of 63% purity: *Rt* 5.96 min using a Sunfire™ column and a gradient of 5%-80% MeOH (0.1% FA) in water (0.1% FA) for 7.5 min followed by 90% MeOH (0.1% FA) in water (0.1% FA) for 2.0 min. The TFA salt was purified by preparative RP-HPLC using a Gemini® 5 micron C18 110A column (Phenomenex® Inc., 250×21.2 mm, 5 μm) with a gradient of 20%-50% MeOH (0.1% FA) in water (0.1% FA), with a flow rate of 10.0 mL / min, to afford the desired FA salt of **146b** (1.0 mg, 3%). Analysis of the purified product by analytical RP-HPLC using the Sunfire™ column revealed >99% purity: Gradient 1: *Rt* 5.23 min [5%-80% MeOH (0.1% FA) in water (0.1% FA) for 7.5 min + 90% MeOH (0.1% FA) in water (0.1% FA) for 2.0 min]; Gradient 2: *Rt* 3.59 min [5%-80% MeCN (0.1% FA) for 7.5 min + 90% MeCN (0.1% FA) for 2.0 min]. HRMS (ESI) *m/z* calculated for C₄₂H₅₃FN₁₂NaO₇S [M+Na]⁺ 911.3757; found 911.3769.

His-D-Trp-Ala-AsF(4-MeO)-D-Phe-Lys-NH₂ (**146c**)



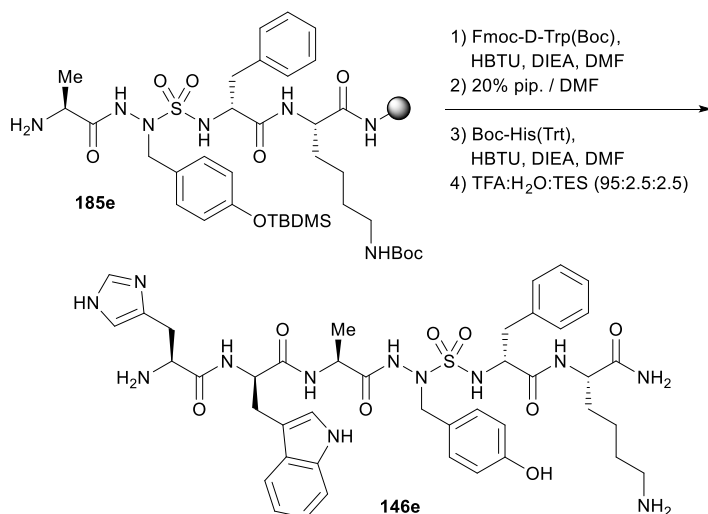
Azasulfurylpeptide **146c** was synthesized from resin **185c** by sequential Fmoc group removal, HBTU couplings with Fmoc-D-Trp(Boc), followed by Boc-His(Trt) and resin cleavage using the respective general protocols described above. Analysis of a resin aliquot as described above indicated peptide **146c** to be of 70% purity: *R_t* 5.26 min using a Sunfire™ column on a gradient of 5%-80% MeOH (0.1% FA) in water (0.1% FA) for 7.5 min followed by 90% MeOH (0.1% FA) in water (0.1% FA) for 2.0 min. The TFA salt was purified by preparative RP-HPLC using a Gemini® 5 micron C18 110A column (Phenomenex® Inc., 250×21.2 mm, 5 μm) with a gradient of 15%-45% MeOH (0.1% FA) in water (0.1% FA), with a flow rate of 10.0 mL / min, to afford the desired FA salt of **146c** (4.1 mg; 10%). The purified product was analyzed by analytical RP-HPLC using the Sunfire™ column and revealed to be of >99% purity: Gradient 1: *R_t* 5.40 min [15%-45% MeOH (0.1% FA) in water (0.1% FA) for 7.5 min + 90% MeOH (0.1% FA) in water (0.1% FA) for 2.0 min]; Gradient 2: *R_t* 6.19 min [10%-30% MeCN (0.1% FA) for 7.5 min + 90% MeCN (0.1% FA) for 2.0 min]. HRMS (ESI) *m/z* calculated for C₄₃H₅₆N₁₂NaO₈S [M+Na]⁺ 923.3957; found 923.3936.

His-D-Trp-Ala-AsA(2-naphthyl)-D-Phe-Lys-NH₂ (**146d**)



Azasulfurylpeptide **146d** was synthesized from resin **185d** by sequential Fmoc group removal, HBTU couplings with Fmoc-D-Trp(Boc), followed by Boc-His(Trt) and resin cleavage using the respective general protocols described above. Analysis of a resin aliquot as described above indicated peptide **146d** to be of 52% purity: *R_t* 5.92 min using a Sunfire™ column and a gradient of 5%-80% MeOH (0.1% FA) in water (0.1% FA) for 7.5 min followed by 90% MeOH (0.1% FA) in water (0.1% FA) for 2.0 min. The TFA salt was purified by preparative RP-HPLC using a Gemini® 5 micron C18 110A column (Phenomenex® Inc., 250×21.2 mm, 5 μm) with a gradient of 20%-50% MeOH (0.1% FA) in water (0.1% FA), with a flow rate of 10.0 mL / min, to afford the desired FA salt of **146d** (4.2 mg, 10%). The purified product was analyzed by analytical RP-HPLC using the Sunfire™ column and revealed to be of 98% purity: Gradient 1: *R_t* 3.89 min [25%-55% MeOH (0.1% FA) in water (0.1% FA) for 7.5 min + 90% MeOH (0.1% FA) in water (0.1% FA) for 2.0 min]; Gradient 2: *R_t* 4.83 min [15%-35% MeCN (0.1% FA) in water (0.1% FA) for 7.5 min + 90% MeCN (0.1% FA) in water (0.1% FA) for 2.0 min]. HRMS (ESI) *m/z* calculated for C₄₆H₅₆N₁₂NaO₇S [M+Na]⁺ 943.4008; found 943.4007.

His-D-Trp-Ala-AsY-D-Phe-Lys-NH₂ (**146e**)



Azasulfurylpeptide **146e** was synthesized from resin **185e** by sequential Fmoc group removal, HBTU couplings with Fmoc-D-Trp(Boc), followed by Boc-His(Trt) and resin cleavage using the respective general protocols described above. Analysis of a resin aliquot as described above indicated peptide **146e** to be of 63% purity: *Rt* 5.03 min using a Sunfire™ column and a gradient of 10%-40% MeOH (0.1% FA) in water (0.1% FA) for 7.5 min followed by 90% MeOH (0.1% FA) in water (0.1% FA) for 2.0 min. The TFA salt was purified by preparative RP-HPLC using a Gemini® 5 micron C18 110A column (Phenomenex® Inc., 250×21.2 mm, 5 μm) with a gradient of 20%-50% MeOH (0.1% FA) in water (0.1% FA), with a flow rate of 10.0 mL / min, to afford the desired FA salt of **146e** (3.4 mg, 9%). The purified product was analyzed by analytical RP-HPLC using the Sunfire™ column and revealed to be of >99% purity: Gradient 1: *Rt* 5.03 min [15%-45% MeOH (0.1% FA) in water (0.1% FA) for 7.5 min + 90% MeOH (0.1% FA) in water (0.1% FA) for 2.0 min]; Gradient 2: *Rt* 5.22 min [15%-40% MeCN (0.1% FA) in water (0.1% FA) for 7.5 min + 90% MeCN (0.1% FA) in water (0.1% FA) for 2.0 min]. HRMS (ESI) *m/z* calculated for C₄₂H₅₄N₁₂NaO₈S [M+Na]⁺ 909.3801; found 909.3805.

Annexe 4 : Partie expérimentale du chapitre 5

Measure of azasulfurylpeptide influence on the overproduction of nitric oxide (NO) induced by TLR2 agonist, R-FSL-1 in J774 macrophage cell line

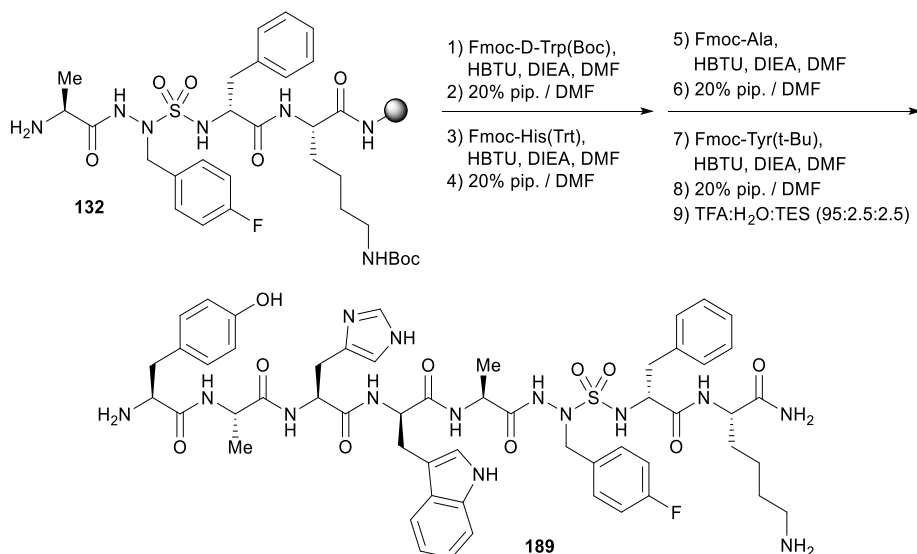
The murine J774A.1 macrophage cell line was obtained from American Type Cell Collection (ATCC #TIB-67), seeded at 1.5×10^5 cells/well in DMEM containing 100U/mL of penicillin (Pen) and 100 μ g/mL of streptomycin (Strep) on a 48-well plate (Costar® #3548), and incubated at 37 °C with 5% CO₂. After 2 h, the medium of adhered cells was changed to DMEM-Pen/Strep containing 0.2% of bovine serum albumin (BSA), and supplemented with either azasulfurylpeptide **134**, **146b-e** or [azaLys⁶]-GHRP-6 (**188**) as a negative control. After 2 h of pre-incubation, the cells were stimulated overnight with 300 ng/mL of fibroblast-stimulating lipopeptide (R-FSL-1). Supernatants were collected for fluorescence determination of nitrite using 2,3-diaminonaphthalene (DAN). Briefly, 25 μ L of sample was incubated with 0.5 μ g of DAN in a 100 μ L final volume of phosphate buffer (50 mM, pH 7.5) at room temperature in the dark. After 15 min, the reaction was stopped with 20 μ L of NaOH (2.8N) and the plate was read using a fluorescence plate reader (TECAN® Safire, λ_{exc} 365 nm and λ_{em} 430 nm).

Assessment of azasulfurylpeptides 146b-e on NF- κ B activation and proinflammatory cytokine and chemokine production in macrophages

Peritoneal macrophages from C57BL/6 mice or CD36-deficient mice were harvested from sterile DMEM cell-culture medium (Wisent # 319-005-CL). Peritoneal cells were allowed to adhere for 1 h at 37°C in a 5% CO₂ atmosphere, and washed twice with PBS to remove non-adherent cells. Macrophages (0.5×10^6 cells/well) were plated in 48 well-culture plates with DMEM containing 0.2 % of bovine serum albumin (BSA). Macrophages were pretreated for 2 h with azasulfurylpeptides **146b-e** or **188** (1 μ M), before stimulation with a TLR2 ligand:

fibroblast-stimulating lipopeptide (R-FSL-1, Invivogen® #L7022) at 300 ng/ml, lipoteichoic acid (LTA Invivogen® #TLRL-PSLTA) at 1 µg/ml or Pam₃CysSerLys₄ (PAM₃CSK₄ Invivogen® #TLRL-PMS) at 100 ng/ml and interferon gamma (IFN γ R&D Systems® # 172-5201) at 20 ng/ml for 4 or 24 hours. The supernatants were recovered, and ELISA (eBioscience® #88-7324; 88-7391) was performed to measure the amounts of proinflammatory cytokine and chemokine (TNF α , MCP-1). The effect on NF- κ B activation was documented on cell lysates after 0, 5, 10, 15 and 30 minutes stimulation with R-FSL1, using NF- κ B p65/RelA specific ELISA-based assay (eBioscience® #85-86083). The results were expressed as mean \pm SEM and were analyzed statistically by a one-way ANOVA with a Dunnett as a post-test. Level of significance was set at $P < 0.05$.

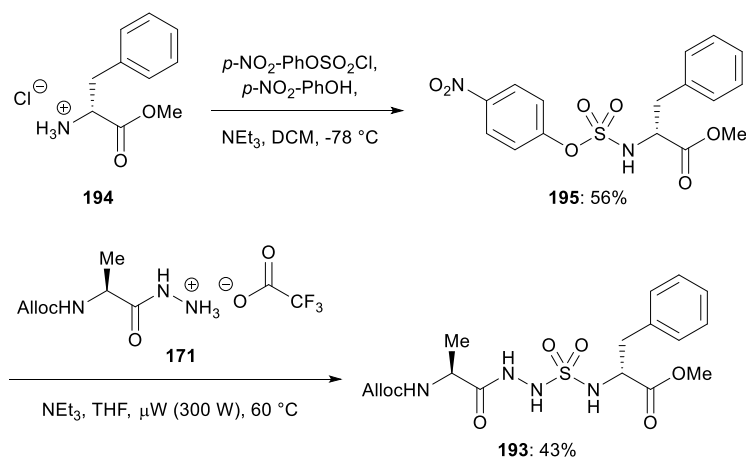
Tyr-Ala-His-D-Trp-Ala-AsF(4-F)-D-Phe-Lys-NH₂ (**189**)



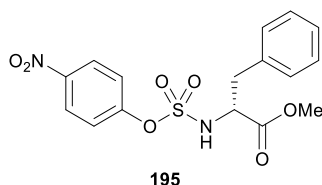
Azasulfurylpeptide **189** was synthesized from resin **132** by sequential Fmoc group removal, HBTU couplings of Fmoc-D-Trp(Boc), Fmoc-His(Trt), Fmoc-Ala, followed by Fmoc-Tyr(*t*-Bu) and resin (60 mg) cleavage using the respective general protocols described above. Analysis of a resin aliquot as described above indicated peptide **189** to be of 86% purity:

Rt 4.98 min using a Sunfire™ column and a gradient of 10%-80% MeOH (0.1% FA) in water (0.1% FA) for 7.5 min followed by 90% MeOH (0.1% FA) in water (0.1% FA) for 2.0 min. The TFA salt was purified by preparative RP-HPLC using a Gemini® 5 micron C18 110A column (Phenomenex® Inc., 250×21.2 mm, 5 µm) with a gradient of 20%-50% MeOH (0.1% FA) in water (0.1% FA), with a flow rate of 10.0 mL / min, to afford the desired FA salt of **189** (2.5 mg, 13%). Analysis of the purified product by analytical RP-HPLC using the Sunfire™ column revealed >99% purity: Gradient 1: Rt 5.95 min [5%-80% MeOH (0.1% FA) in water (0.1% FA) for 7.5 min + 90% MeOH (0.1% FA) in water (0.1% FA) for 2.0 min]; Gradient 2: Rt 5.61 min [5%-80% MeCN (0.1% FA) for 7.5 min + 90% MeCN (0.1% FA) for 2.0 min]. HRMS (ESI) m/z calculated for C₅₄H₆₇FN₁₄NaO₁₀S [M+Na]⁺ 1145.4762; found 1145.4759.

Scheme 1. Synthesis of *N*-(Alloc)-alaninyl-azasulfurylglycinyl-D-phenylalanine methyl ester (193**)**



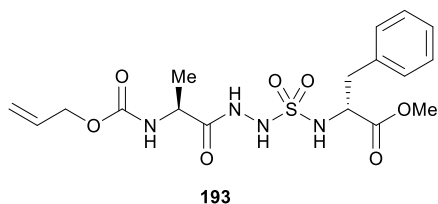
4-Nitrophenyl D-phenylalanine methyl ester sulfamidate **195**



Employing the protocol for the synthesis of sulfamidate **87**, D-phenylalanine methyl ester hydrochloride (**194**, 2.157 g, 10.0 mmol) was transformed to sulfamidate **195**, which was

isolated as a solid (2.136 g, 56%): R_f 0.82 (MeOH:DCM 1:99); mp 77 °C; $[\alpha]_D^{20}$ -34.5° (CHCl₃, c 1.34); ¹H NMR (CDCl₃, 400 MHz) δ 3.09 (1H, dd, J = 6.6, 13.9), 3.20 (1H, dd, J = 5.4, 14.0), 3.78 (3H, s), 4.47-4.53 (1H, m), 5.76 (1H, d, J = 8.7), 7.14-7.18 (2H, m), 7.25 (2H, d, J = 9.2), 7.27-7.33 (3H, m), 8.18 (2H, d, J = 9.2); ¹³C NMR (CDCl₃, 100 MHz) δ 39.0, 53.3, 58.4, 122.7, 125.8, 127.9, 129.1, 129.7, 134.9, 146.2, 154.5, 171.3; IR (neat) $\nu_{\max}/\text{cm}^{-1}$ 1155, 1175, 1347, 1529, 1622, 1730, 3249; HRMS m/z calculated for C₁₆H₁₆N₂NaO₇S [M+Na]⁺ 398.1032; found 398.1017.

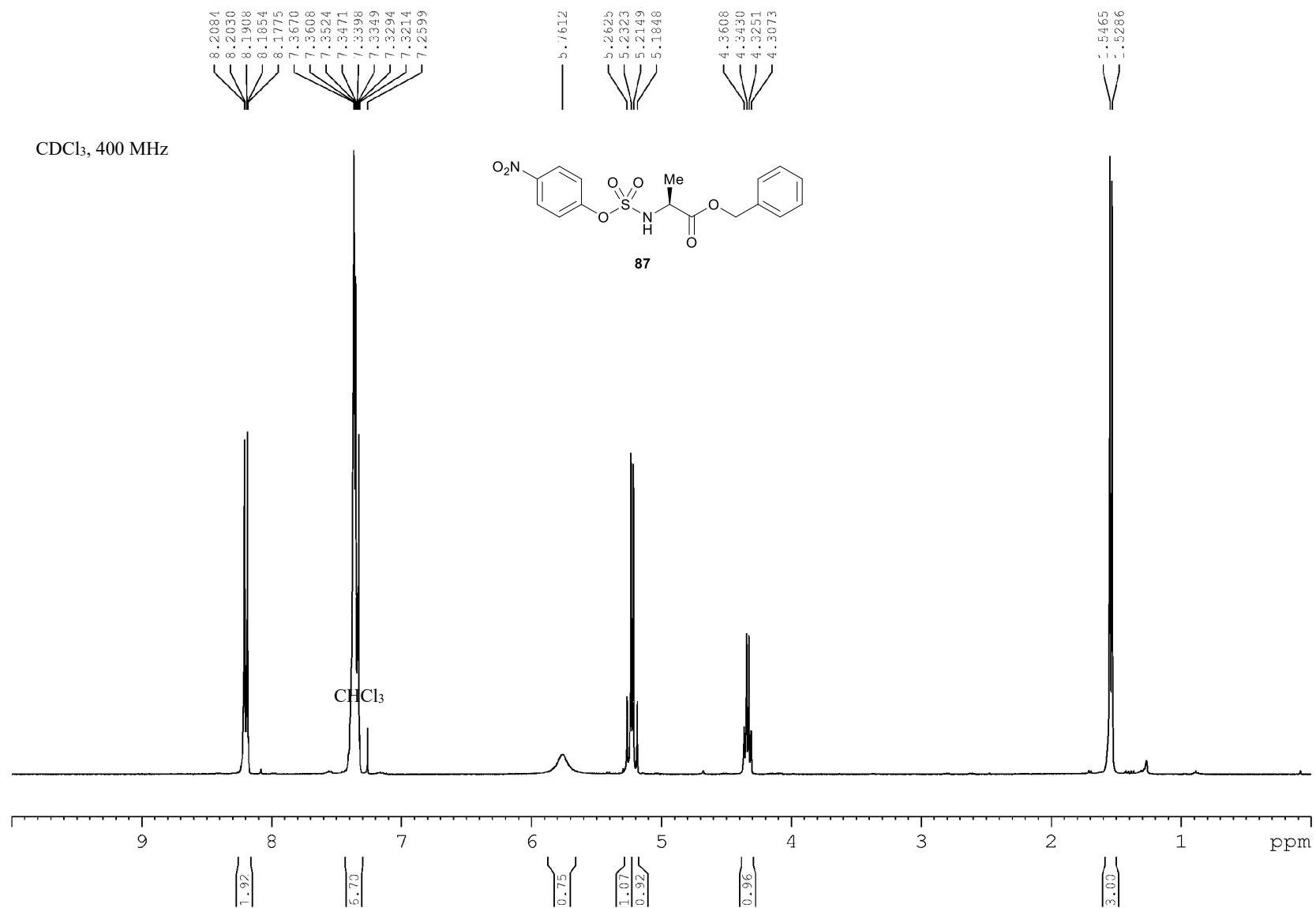
***N*-(Alloc)-alaninyl-azasulfurylglycyl-D-phenylalanine methyl ester (193)**

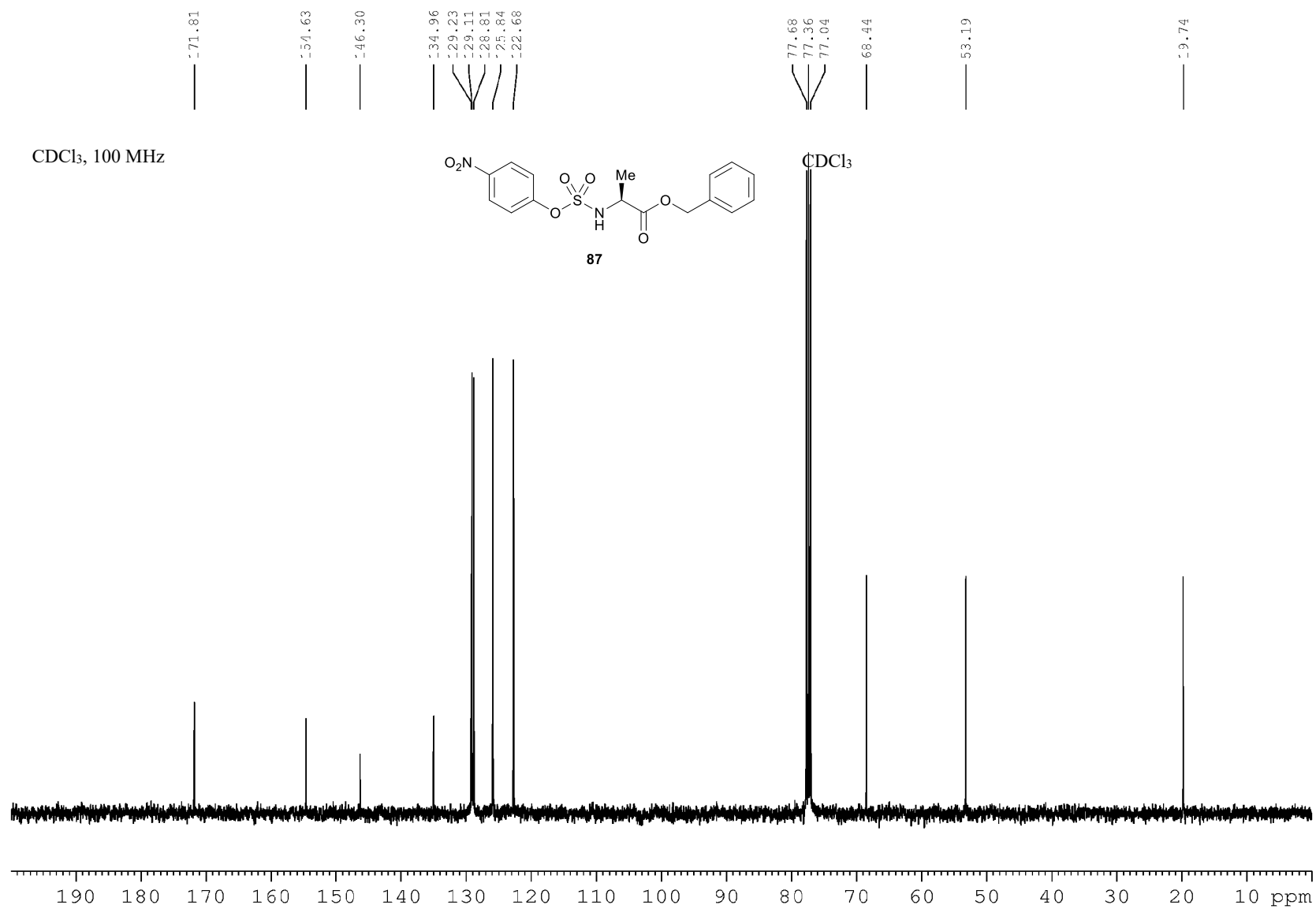


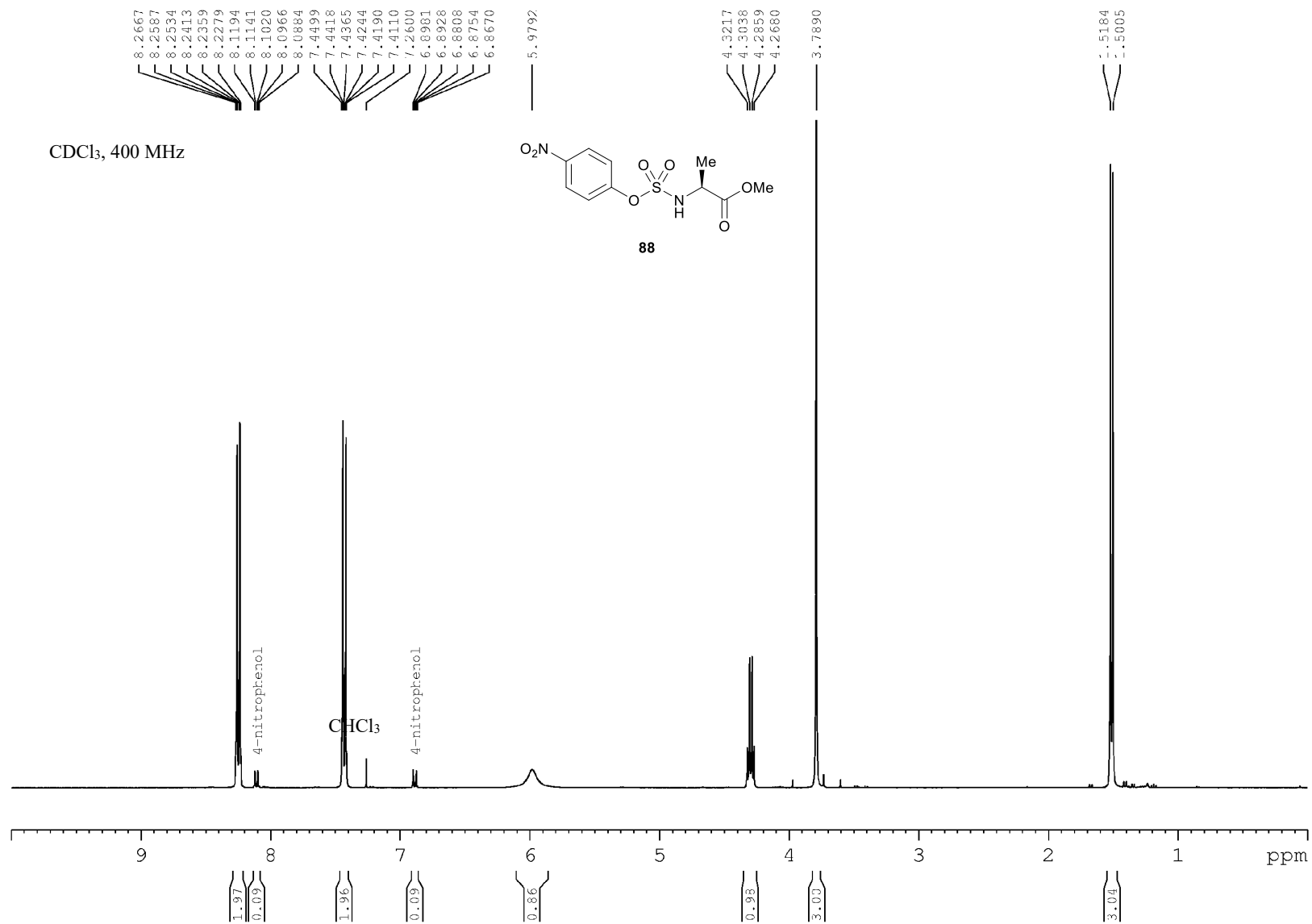
N-(Alloc)-alanine hydrazidum trifluoroacetate (**171**, 331 mg; 1.1 mmol) was neutralized by adding aq. sat. NaHCO₃ and extracting with EtOAc. It was then added to a solution of sulfamidate **195** (380 mg, 1.00 mmol) in THF (4.0 mL) in a microwave vessel. The mixture was treated with NEt₃ (153 μ L, 1.10 mmol), at which point the solution turned yellow. Gentle heating with a heat gun may be required to facilitate dissolution. The vessel was sealed and heated to 60 °C using microwave irradiation for 2.5 h. The volatiles were then evaporated and the residue was purified by flash chromatography eluting with hexane:EtOAc 1:1. The necessary fractions were evaporated and redissolved in DCM (25 mL). The organic phase was washed with sat. NaHCO₃ (3 x 25 mL), dried over MgSO₄, filtered and evaporated to afford sulfamide **193** as a solid (184 mg; 43%): R_f 0.24 (hexane:EtOAc 1:1); mp 57 °C; $[\alpha]_D^{20}$ -65.4° (CHCl₃, c 0.66); ¹H NMR (CDCl₃, 400 MHz) δ 1.33 (3H, d, J = 7.1), 3.10 (2H, d, J = 5.8), 3.68 (3H, s), 4.20-4.30 (1H, m), 4.40-4.50 (1H, m), 4.50-4.60 (2H, m), 5.20 (1H, d, J = 10.4), 5.27 (1H, d, J = 17.2), 5.65 (1H, d, J = 7.5), 5.80-5.95 (2H, m), 7.10-7.15 (2H, m), 7.20-7.30 (3H, m), 7.40 (1H, br), 8.71 (1H, s); ¹³C NMR (CDCl₃, 100 MHz) δ 18.2, 19.4, 30.9, 39.2, 49.5, 53.0, 57.4, 66.5, 118.4, 127.5, 128.8, 129.9, 132.7, 135.6, 156.5, 172.4, 172.7; IR (neat) $\nu_{\max}/\text{cm}^{-1}$ 1108, 1165, 1252,

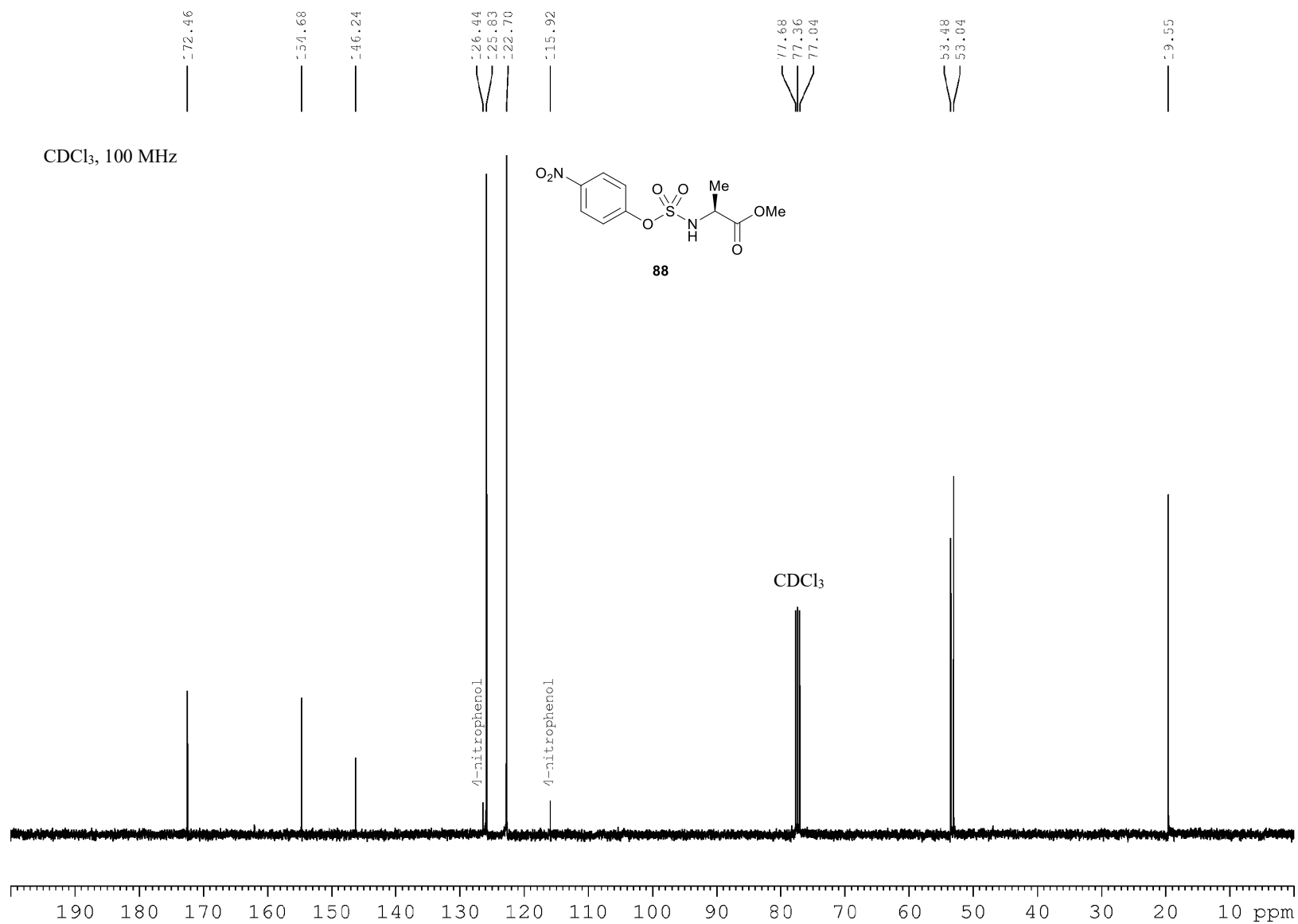
1356, 1452, 1520, 1692, 3259; HRMS (ESI) m/z calculated for $C_{17}H_{25}N_4O_7S$ $[M+H]^+$ 429.1439; found 429.1458.

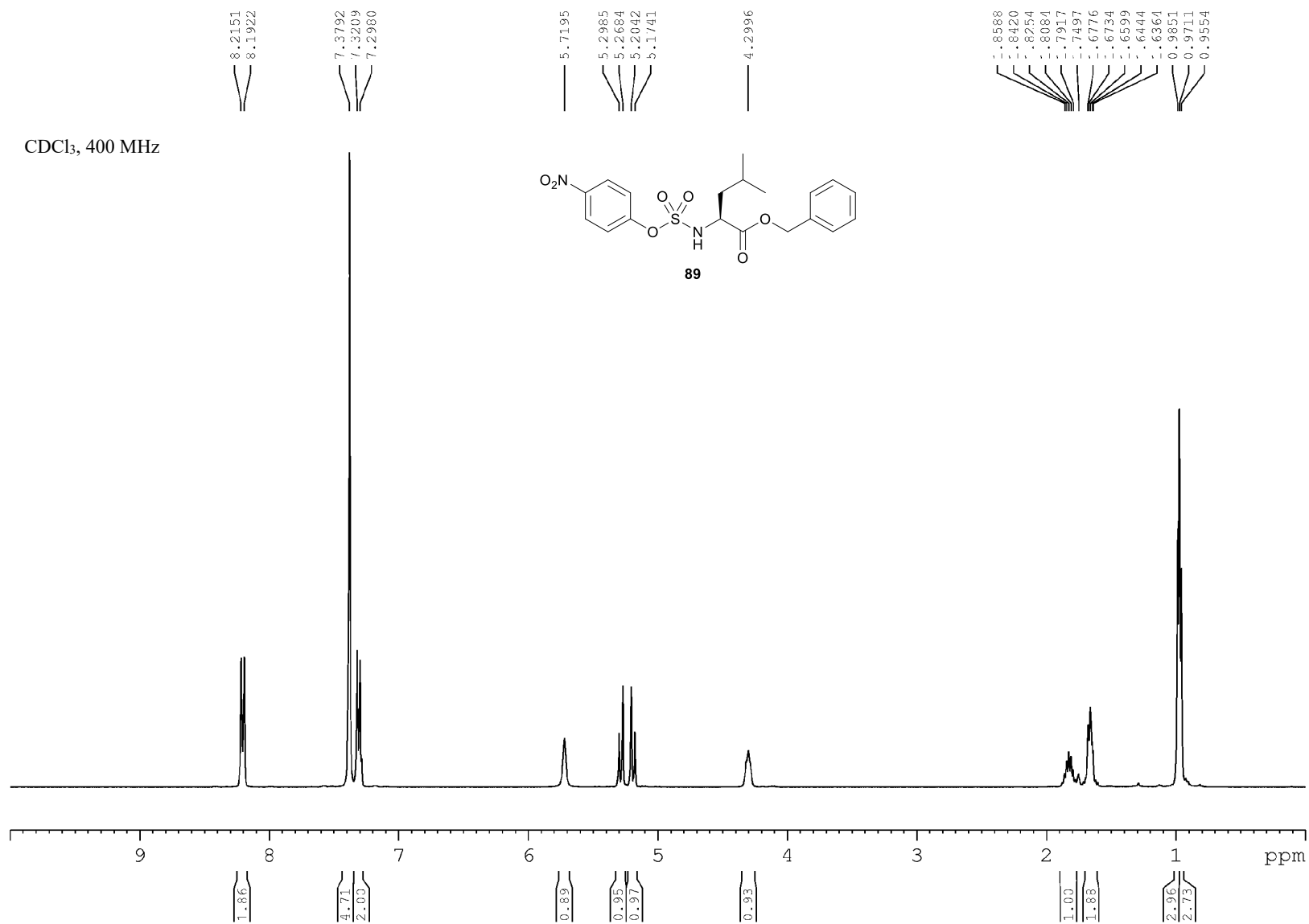
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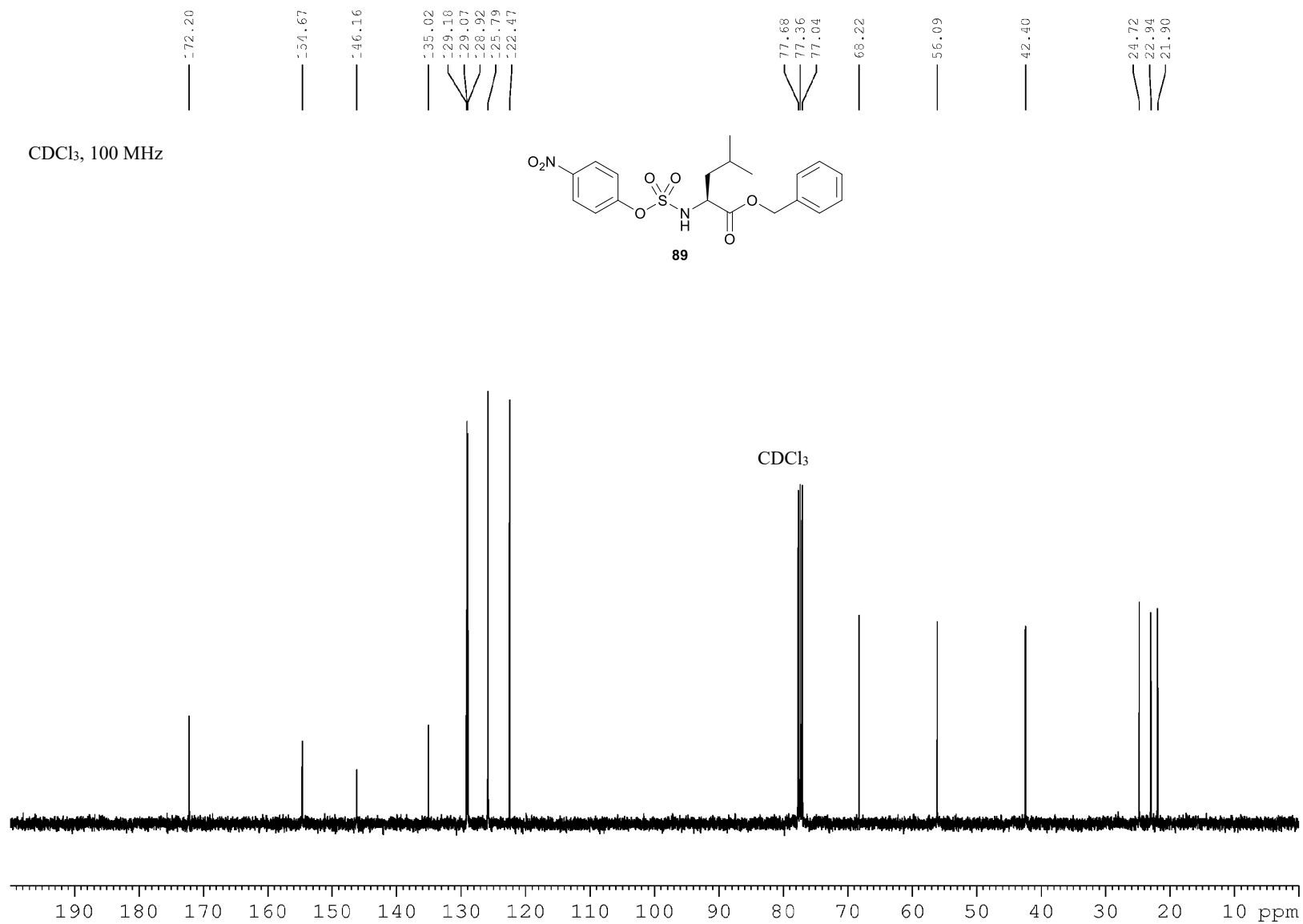


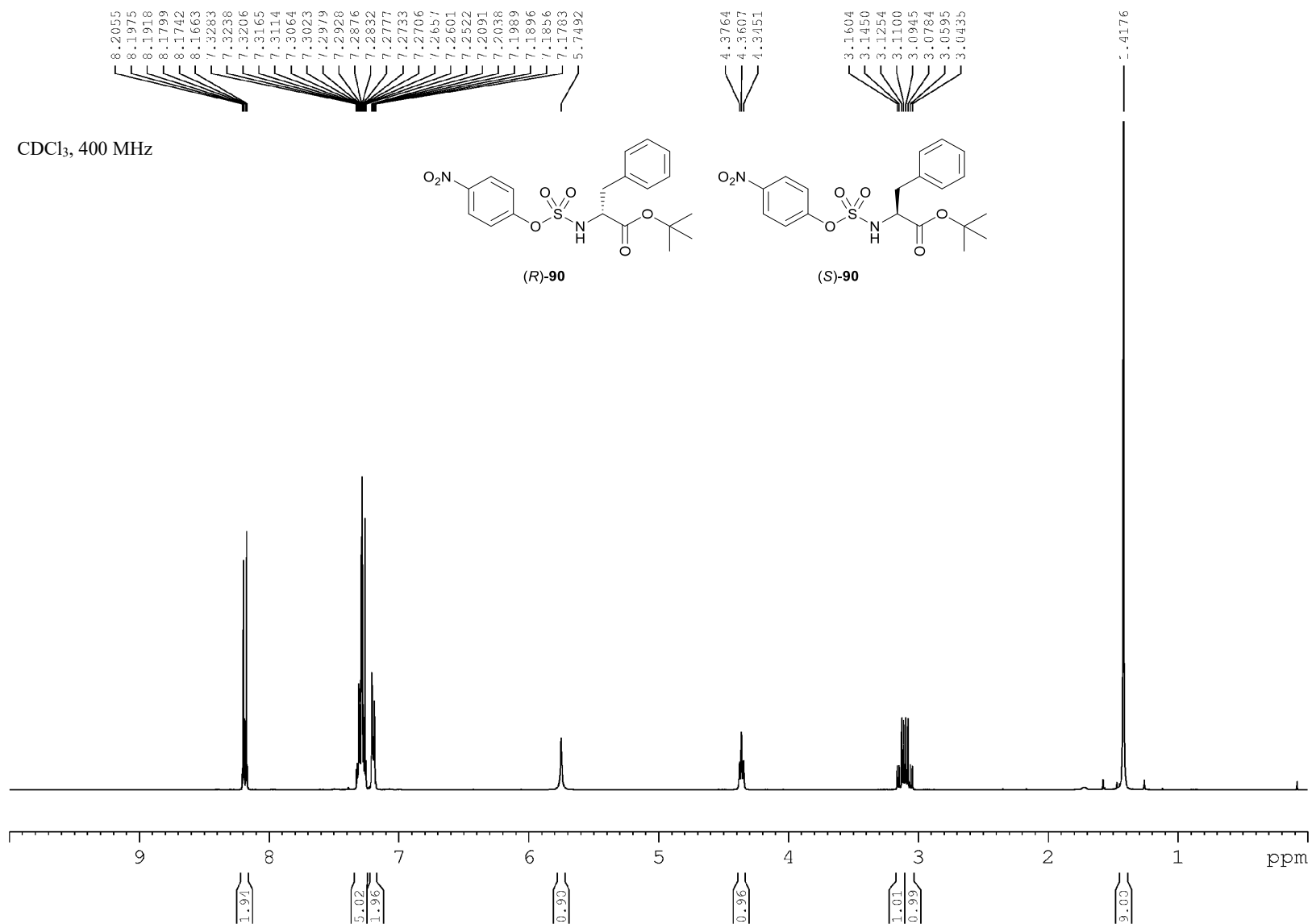


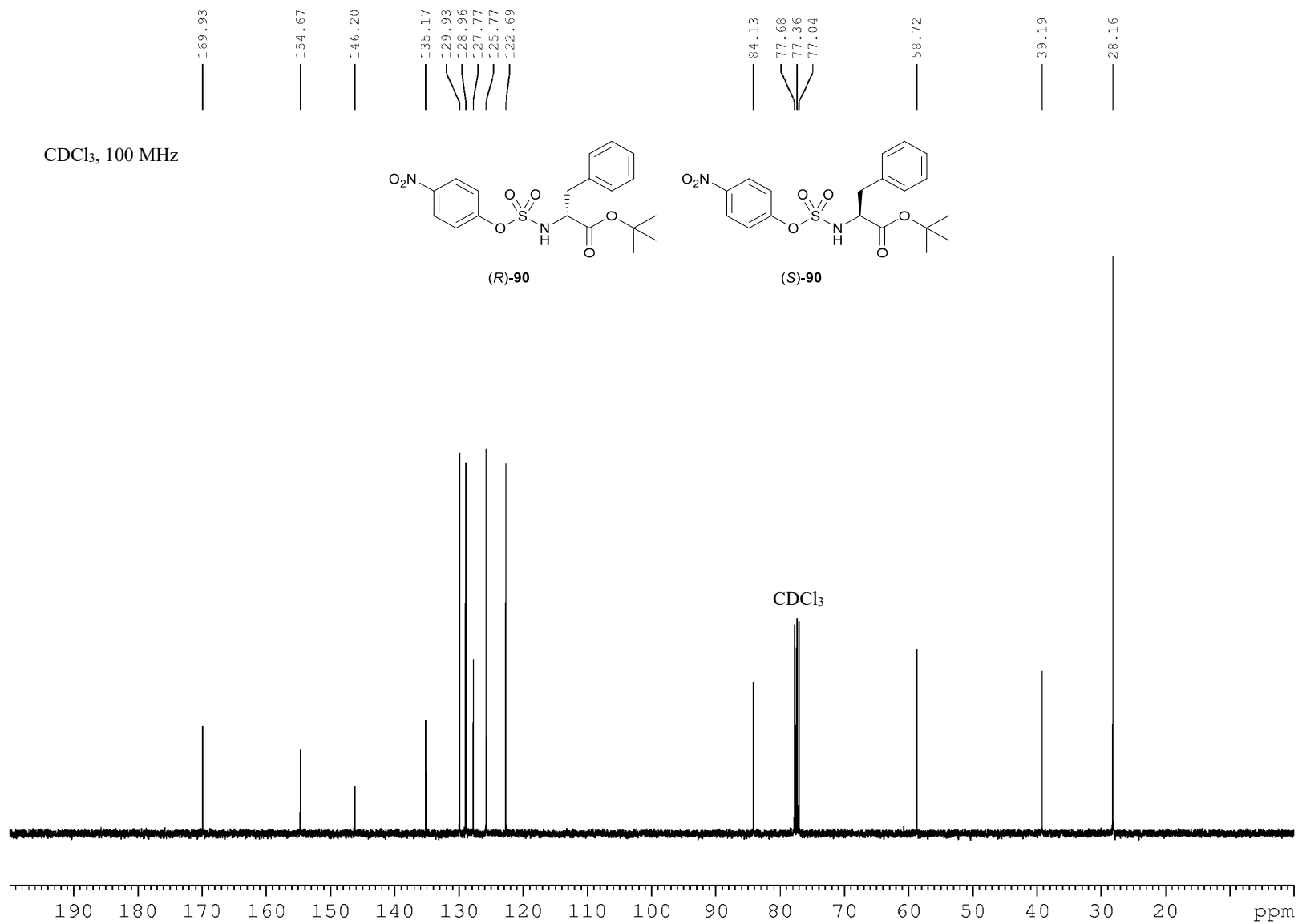


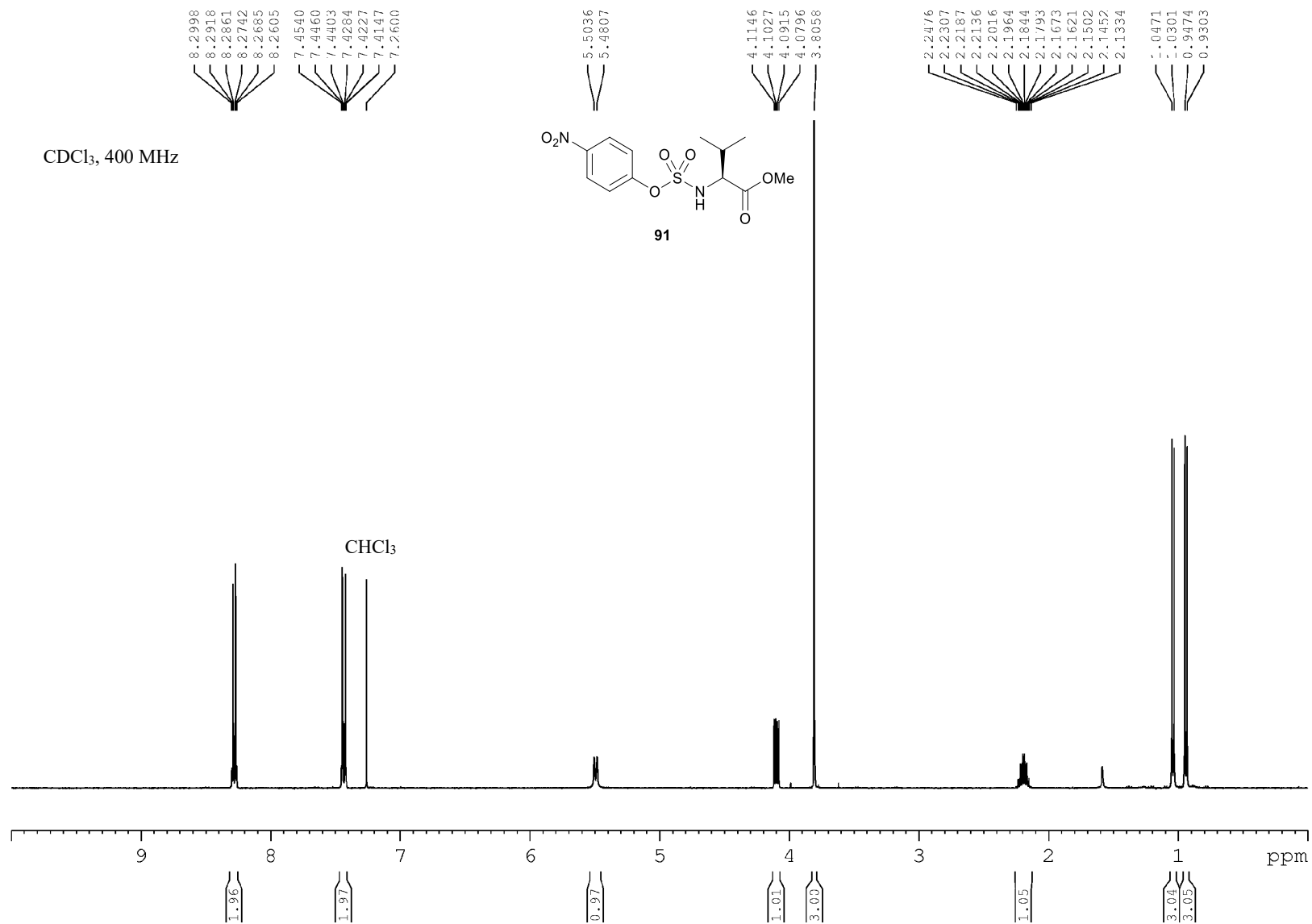


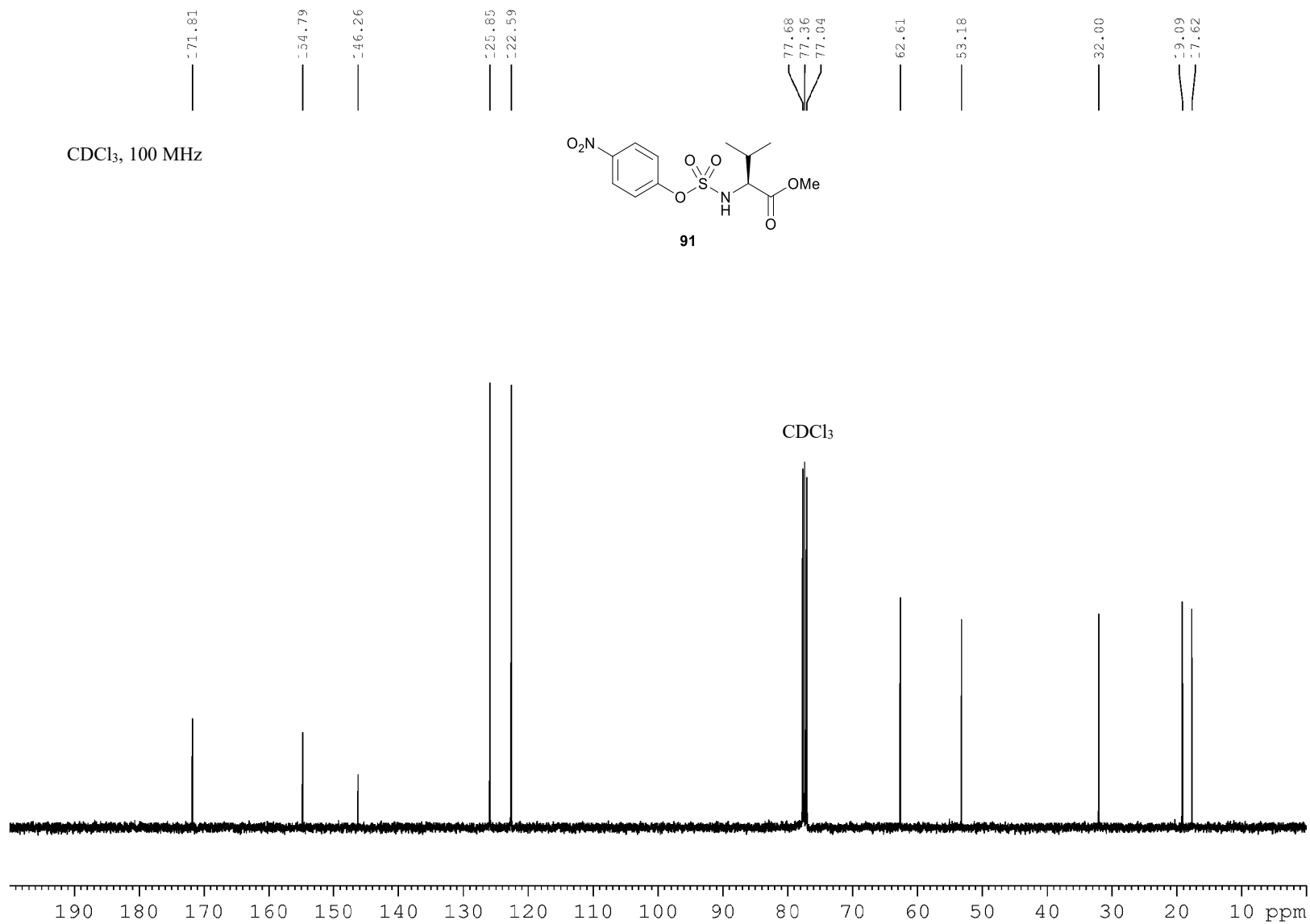


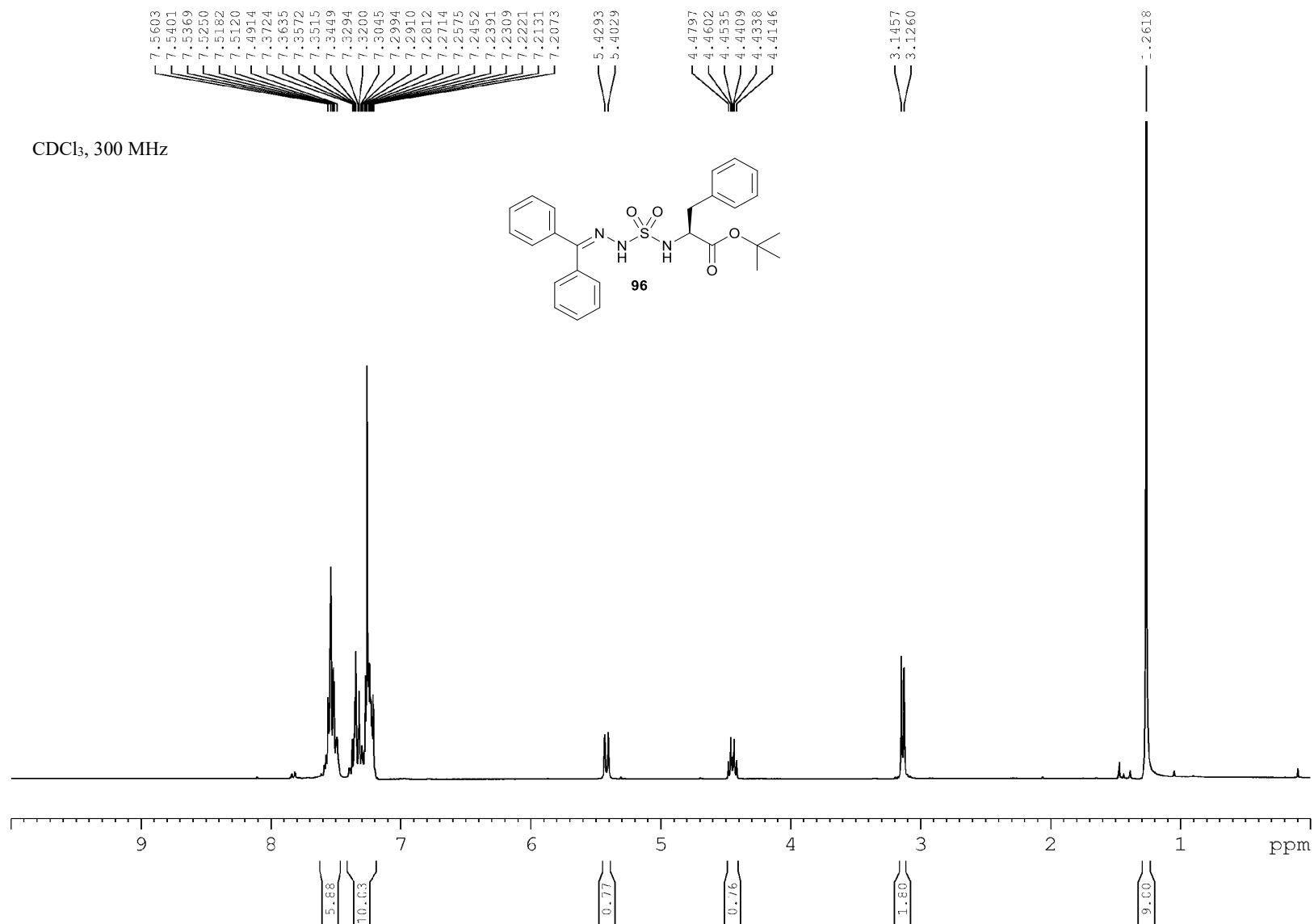


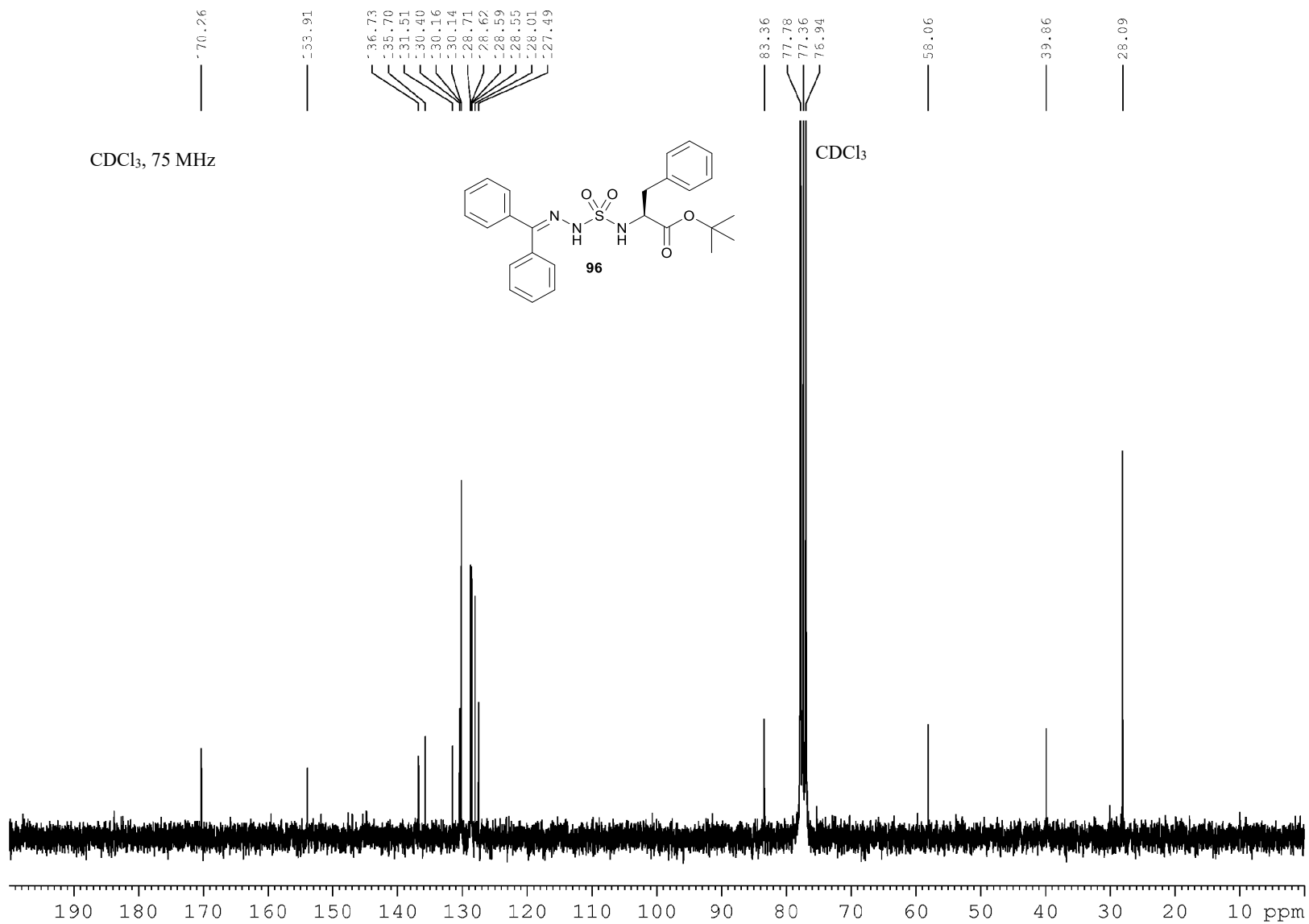


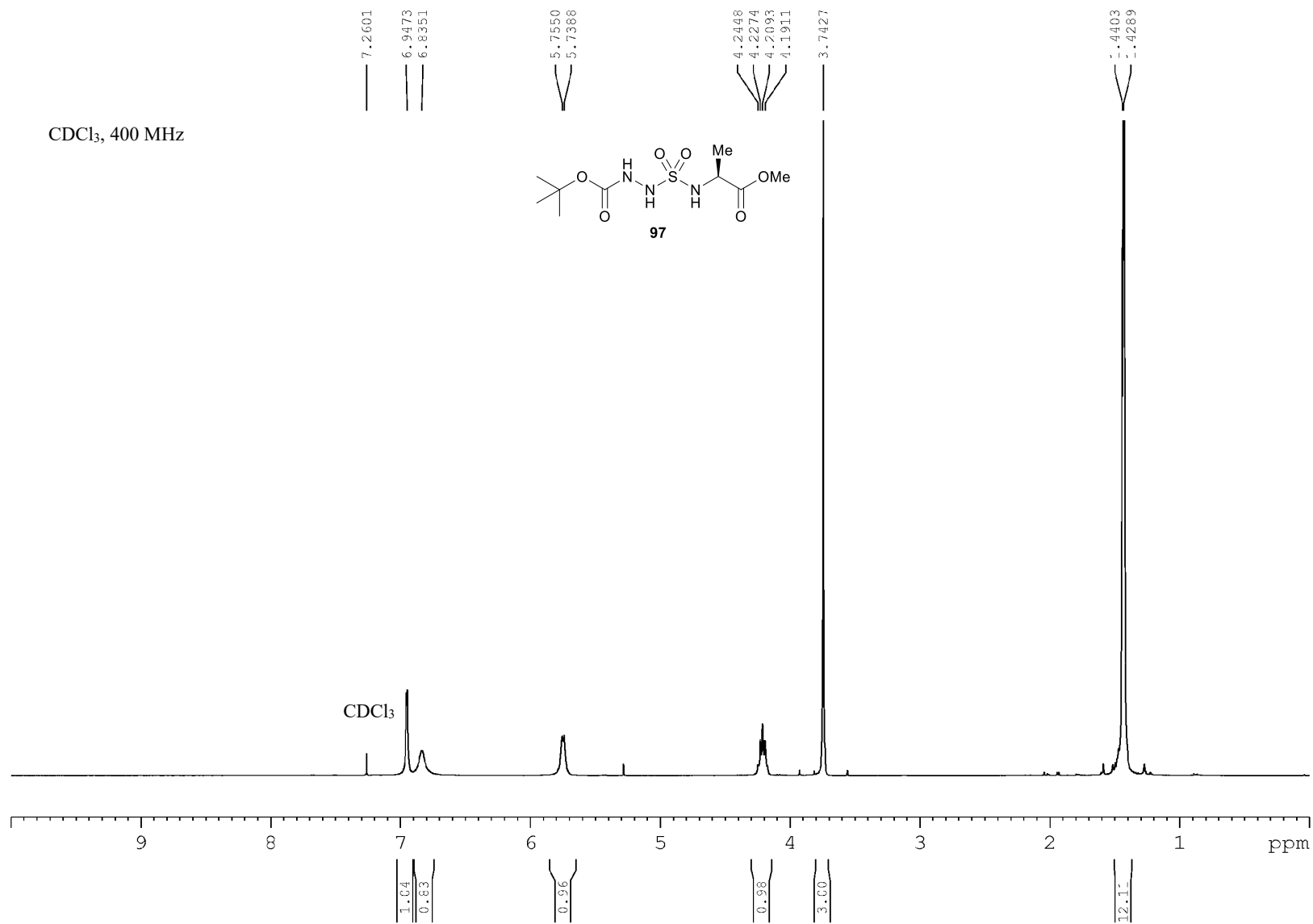


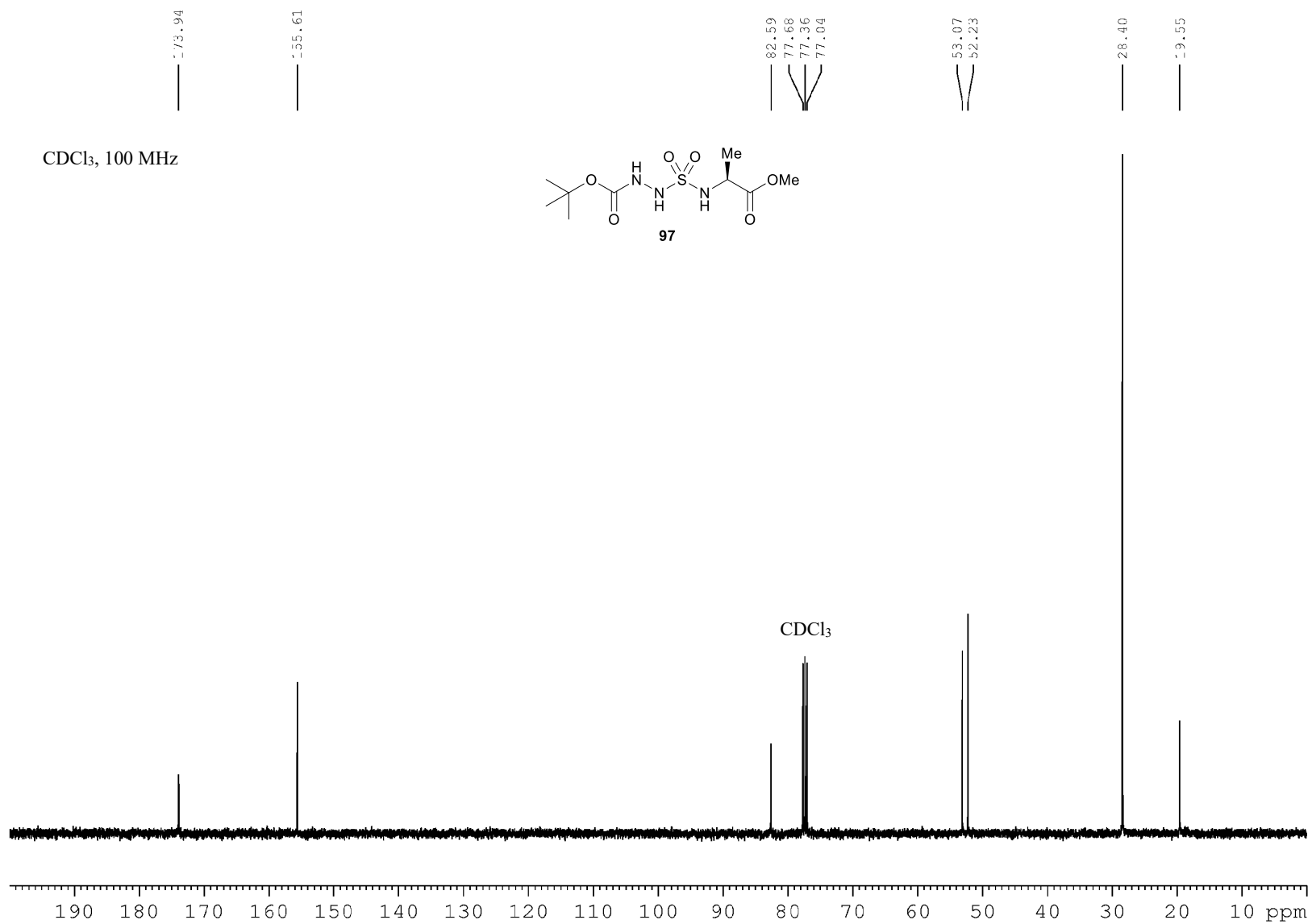


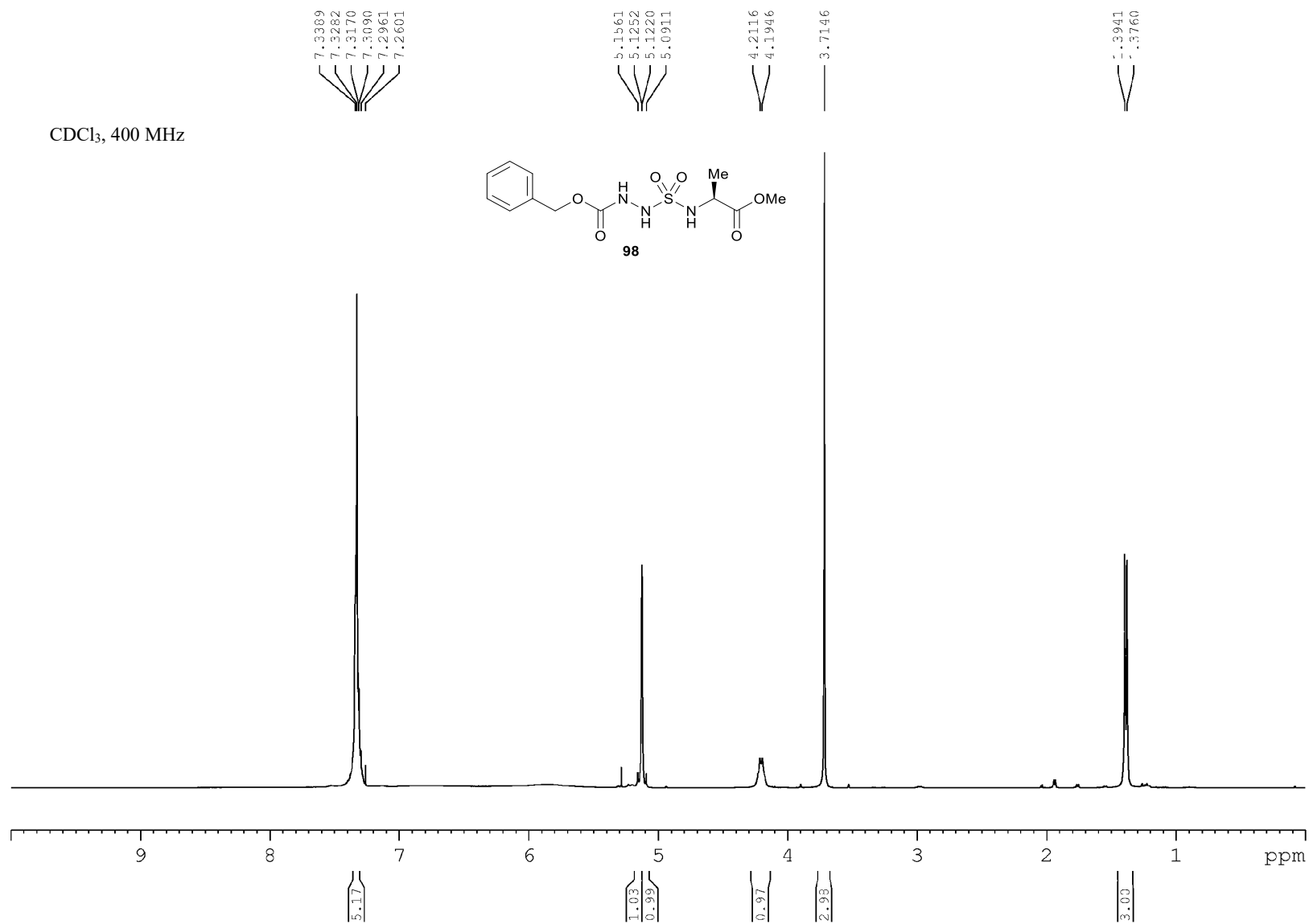


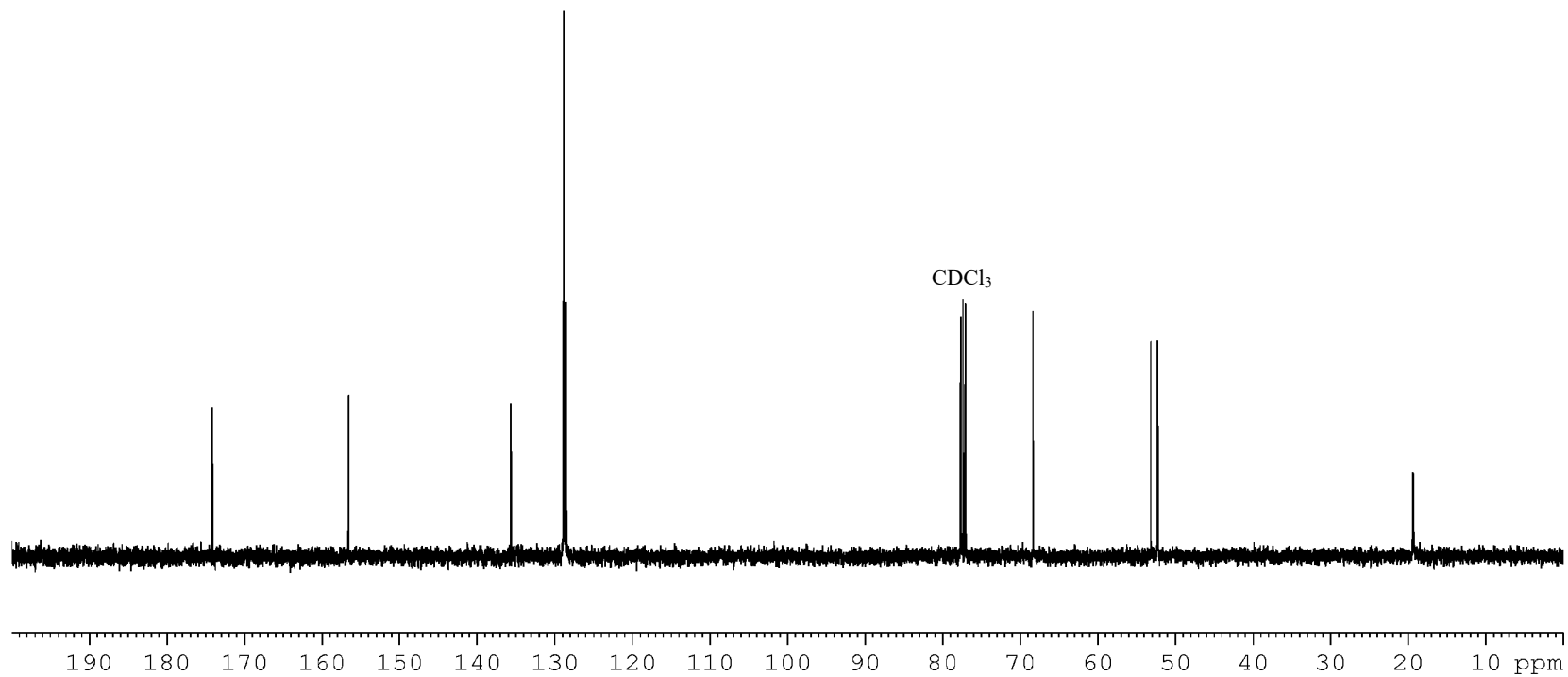
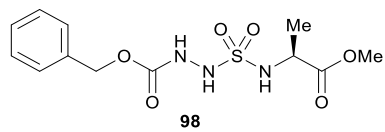


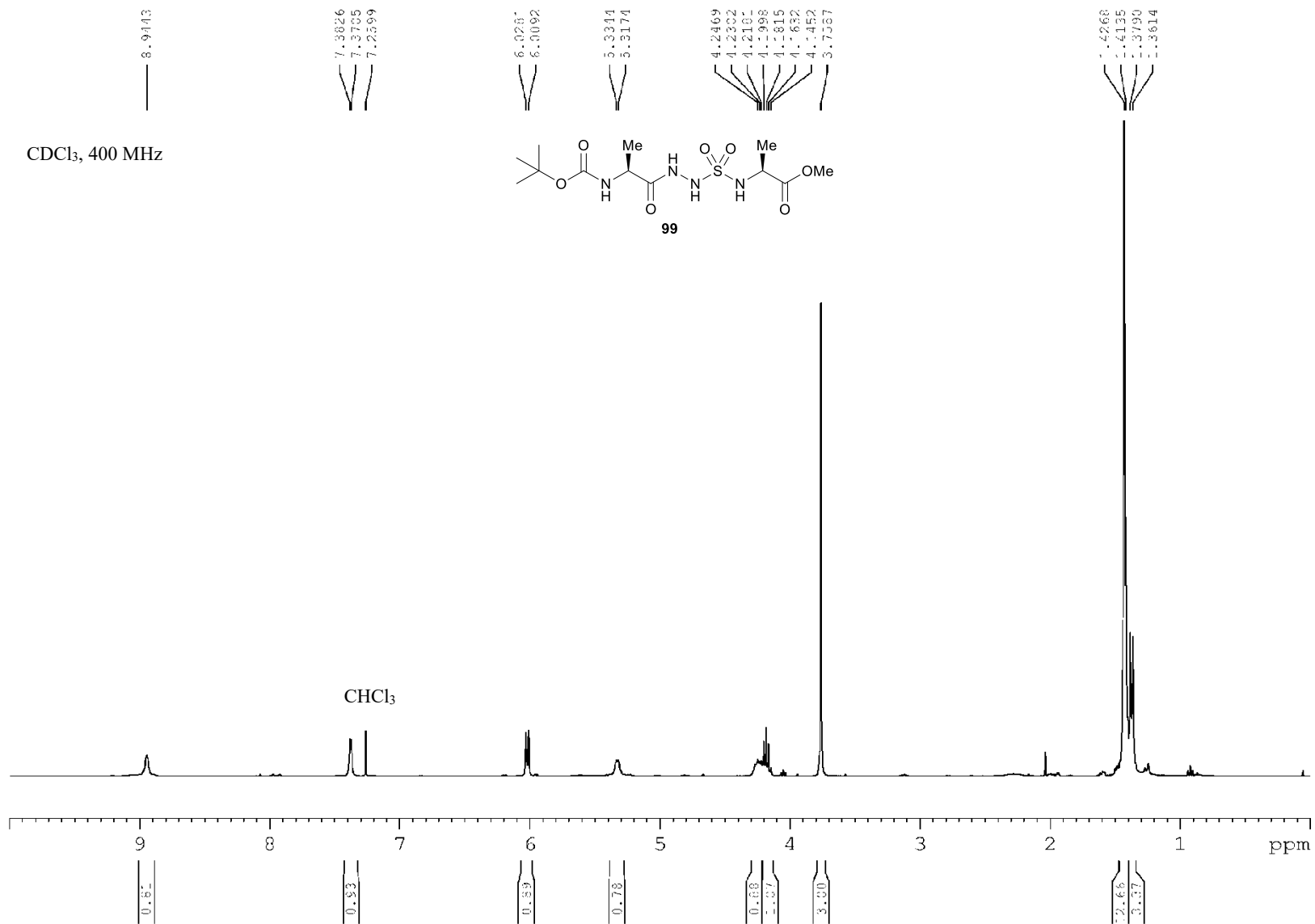


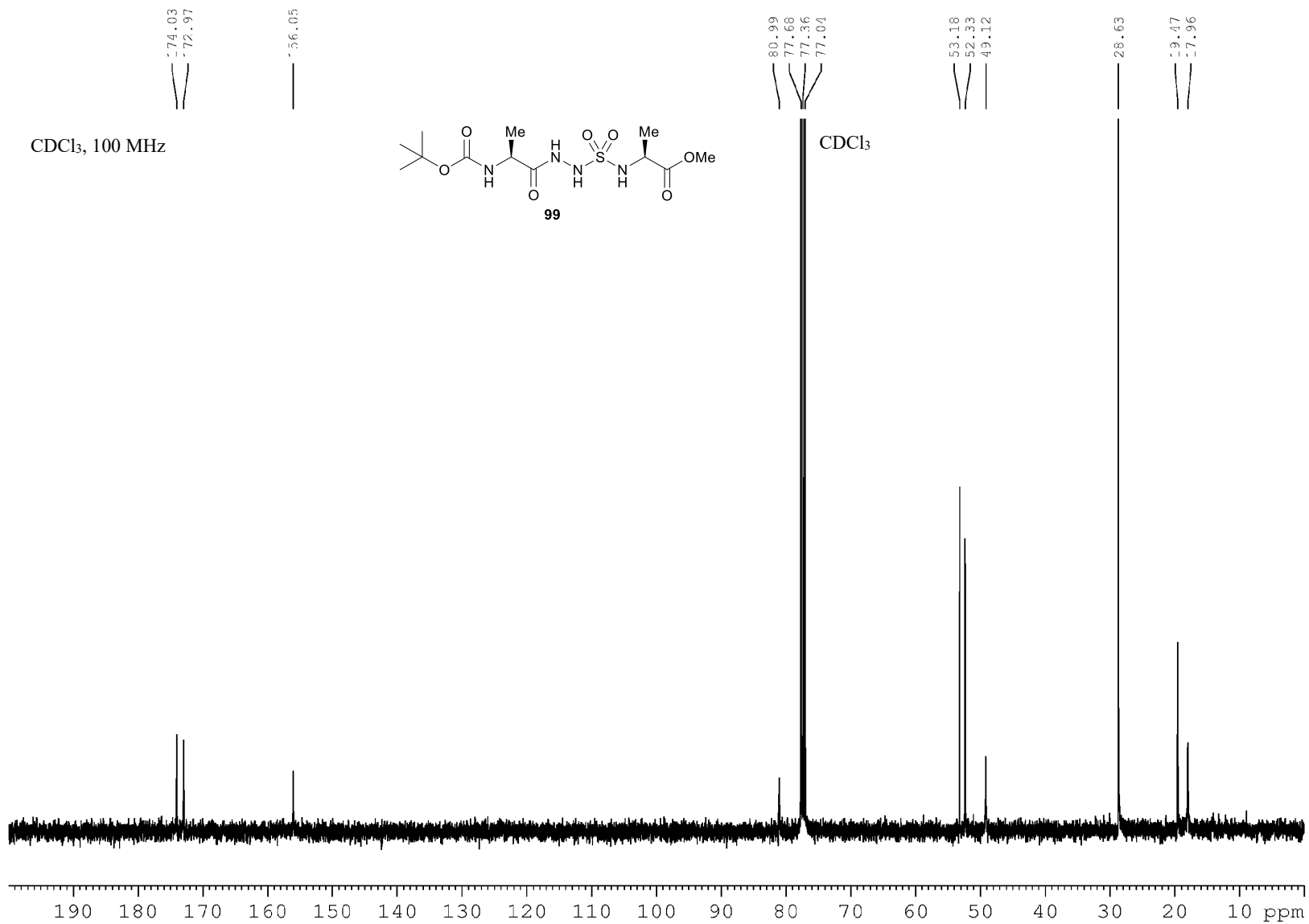


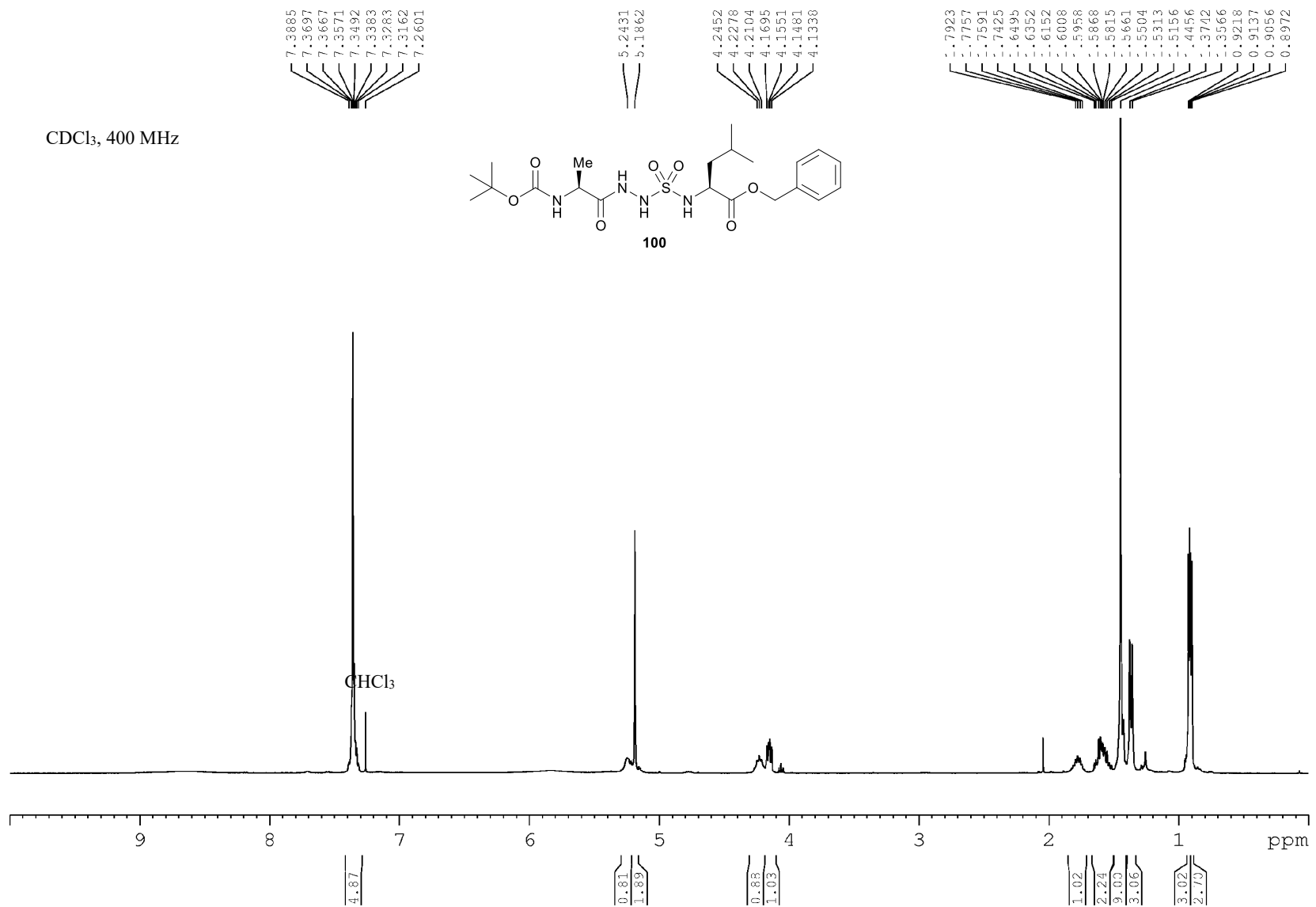


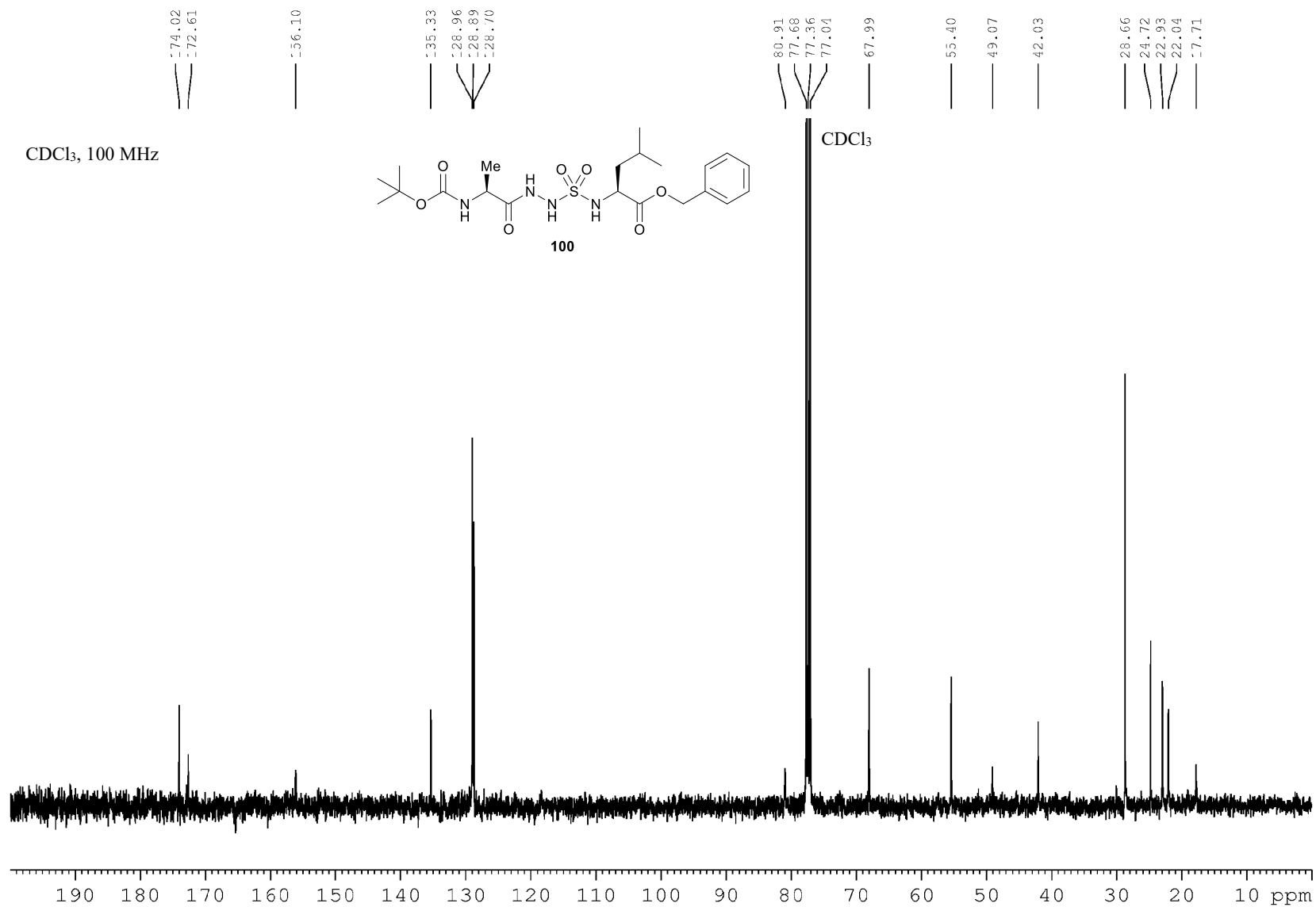


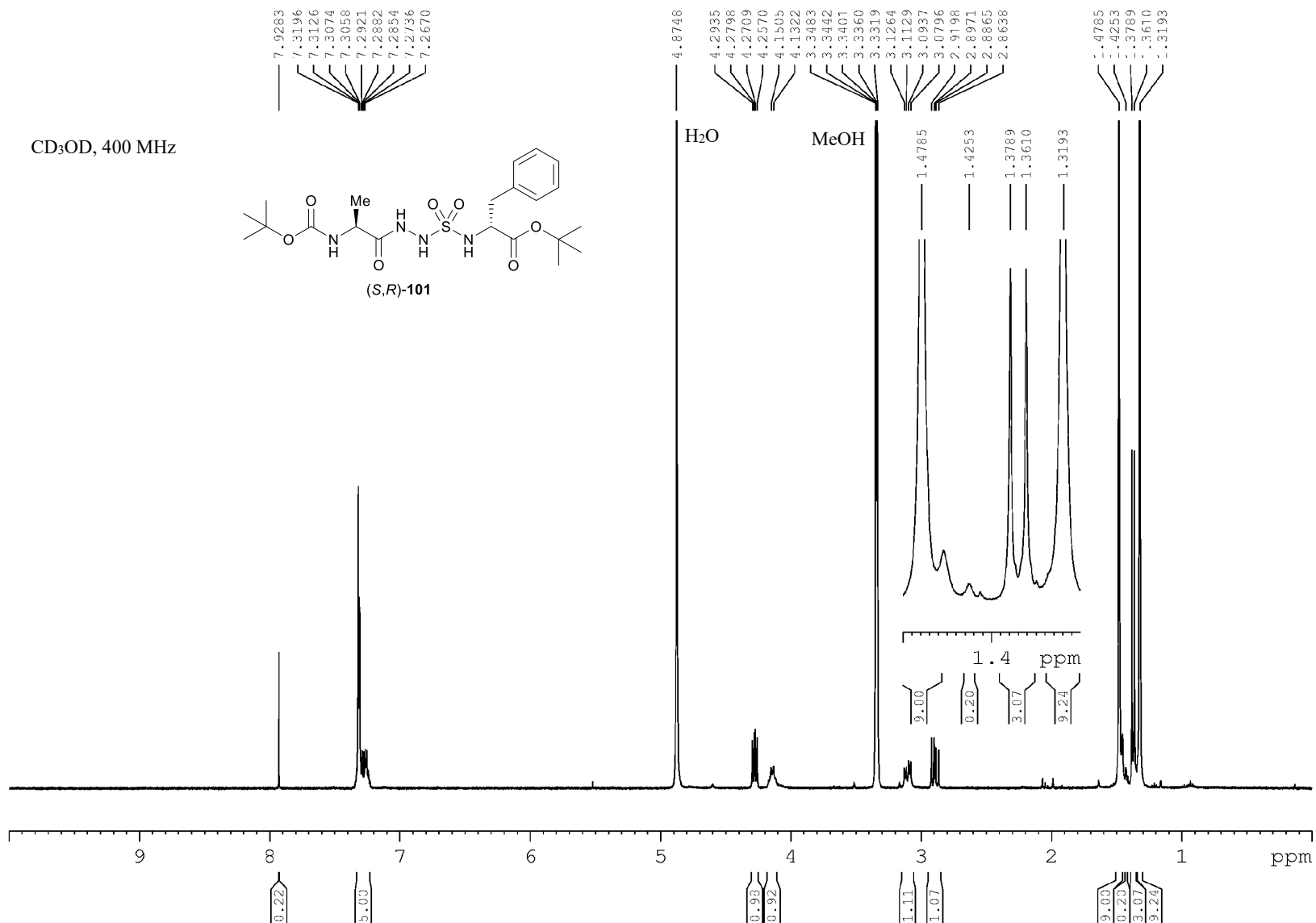
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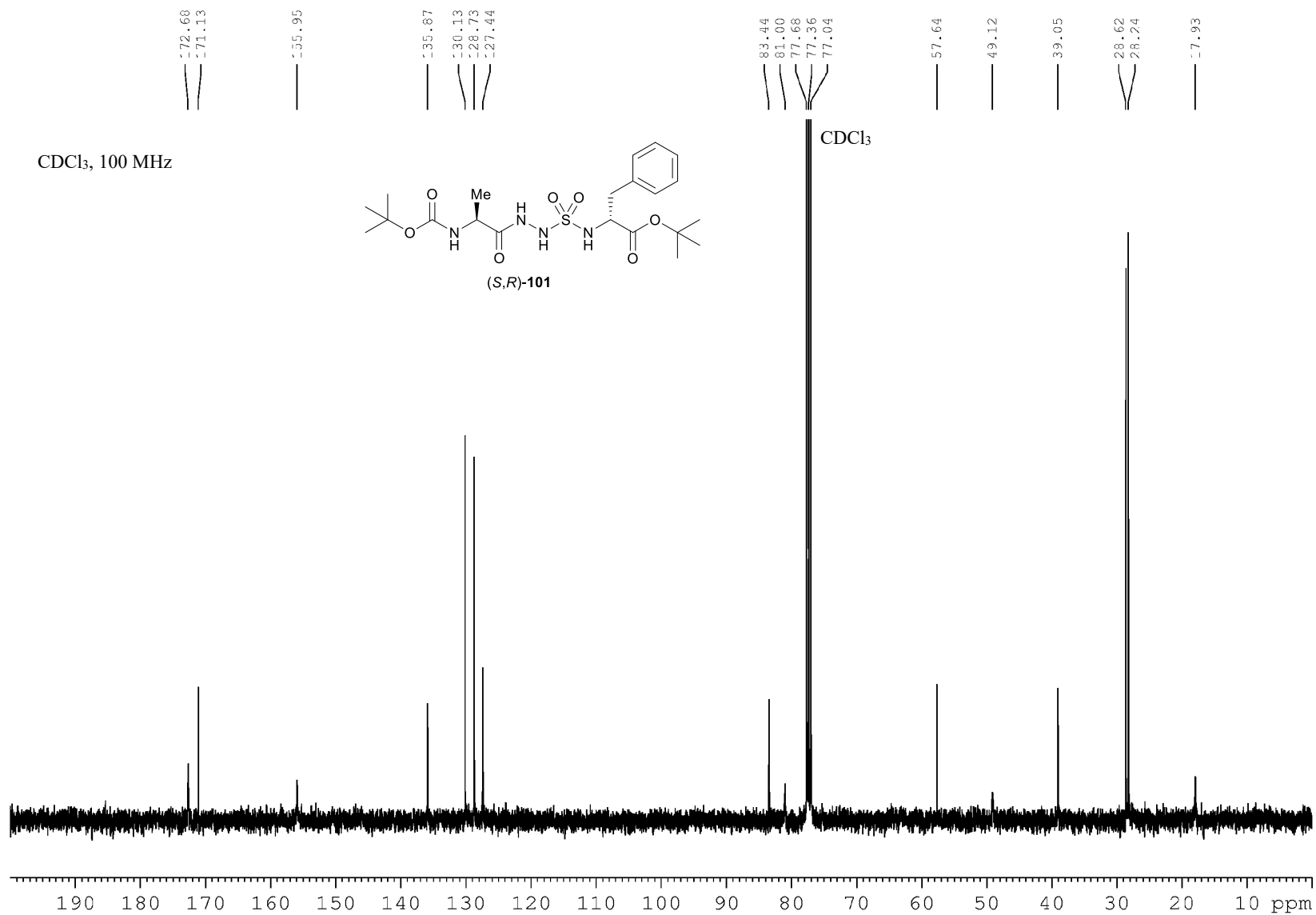


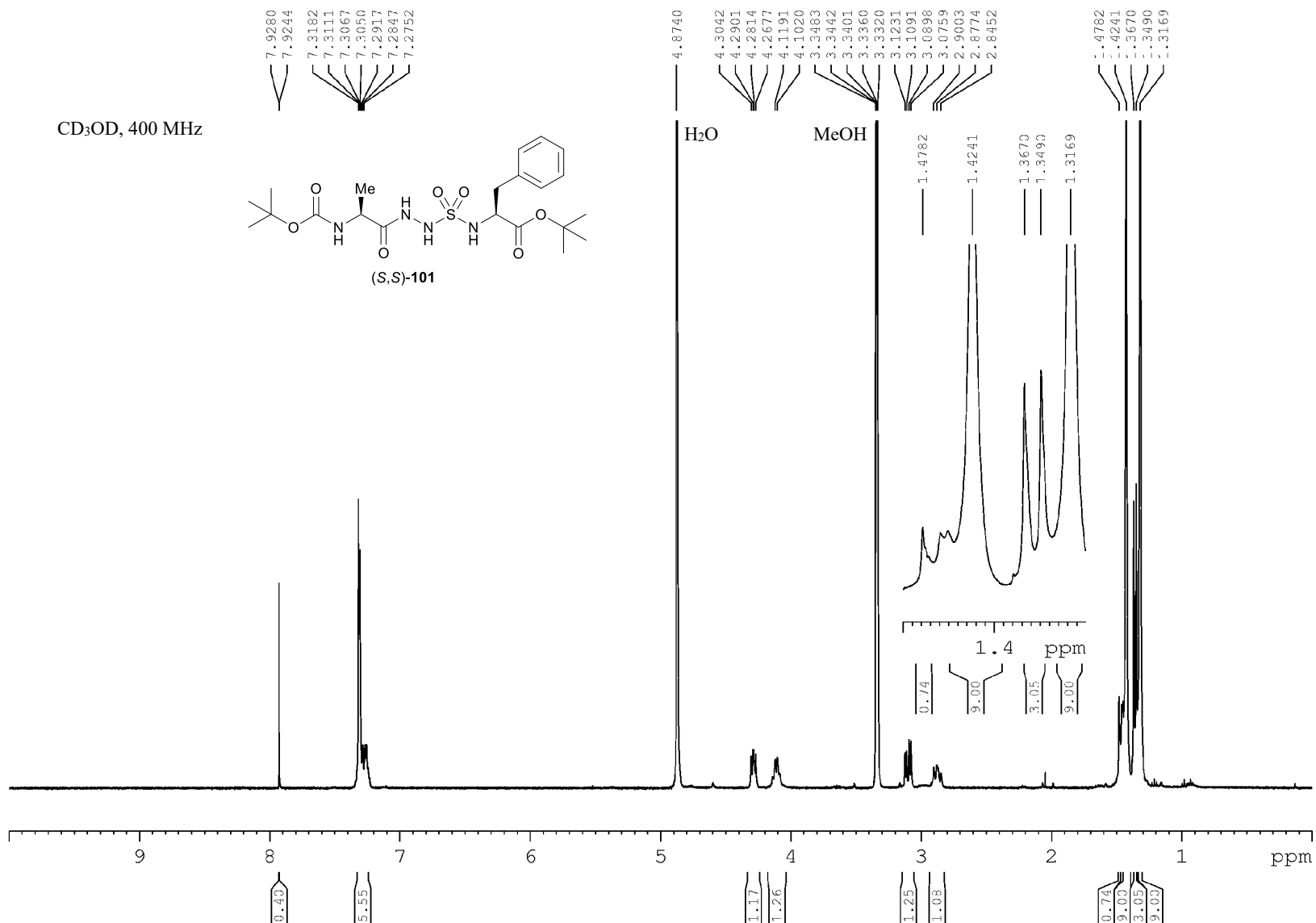


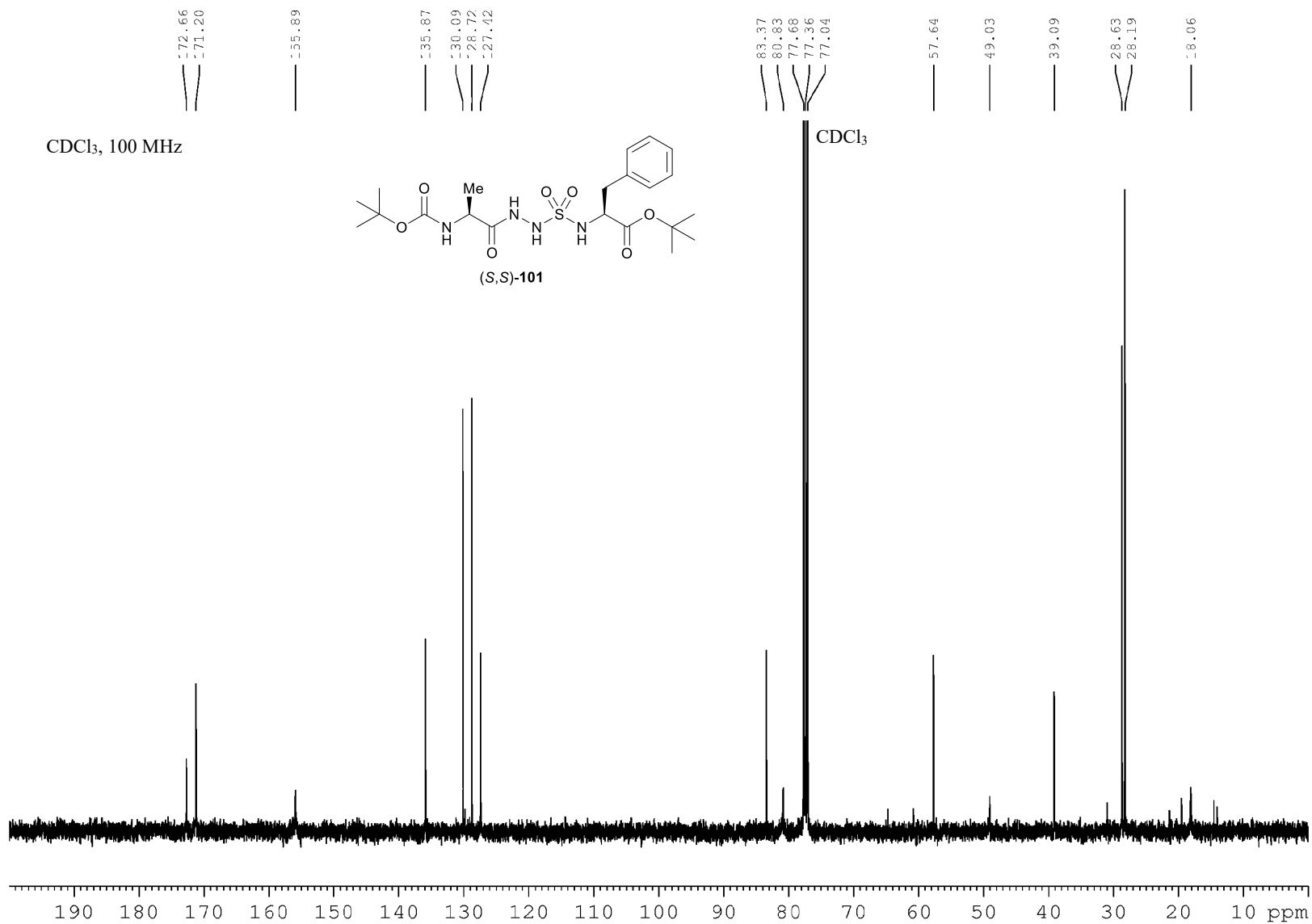


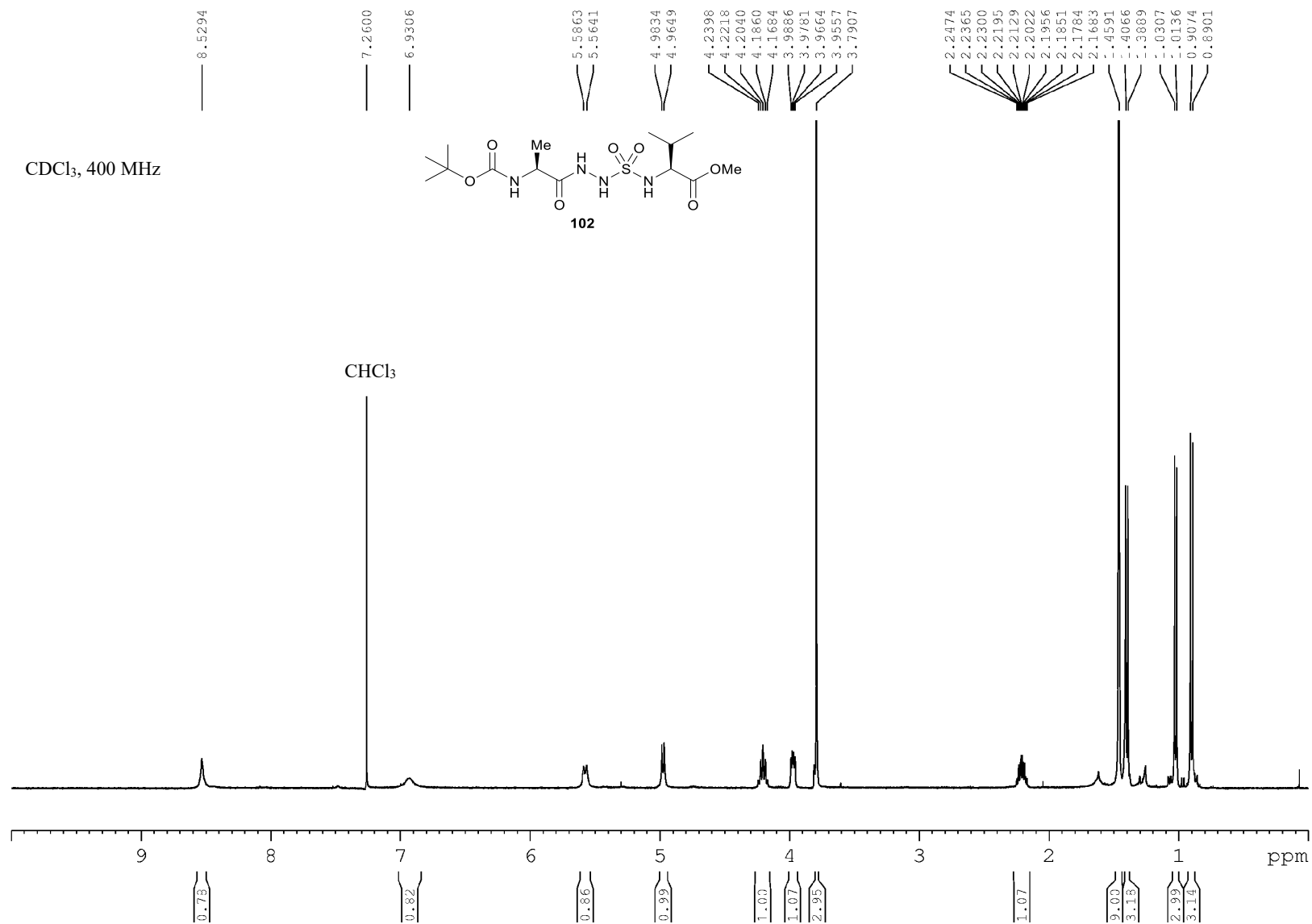


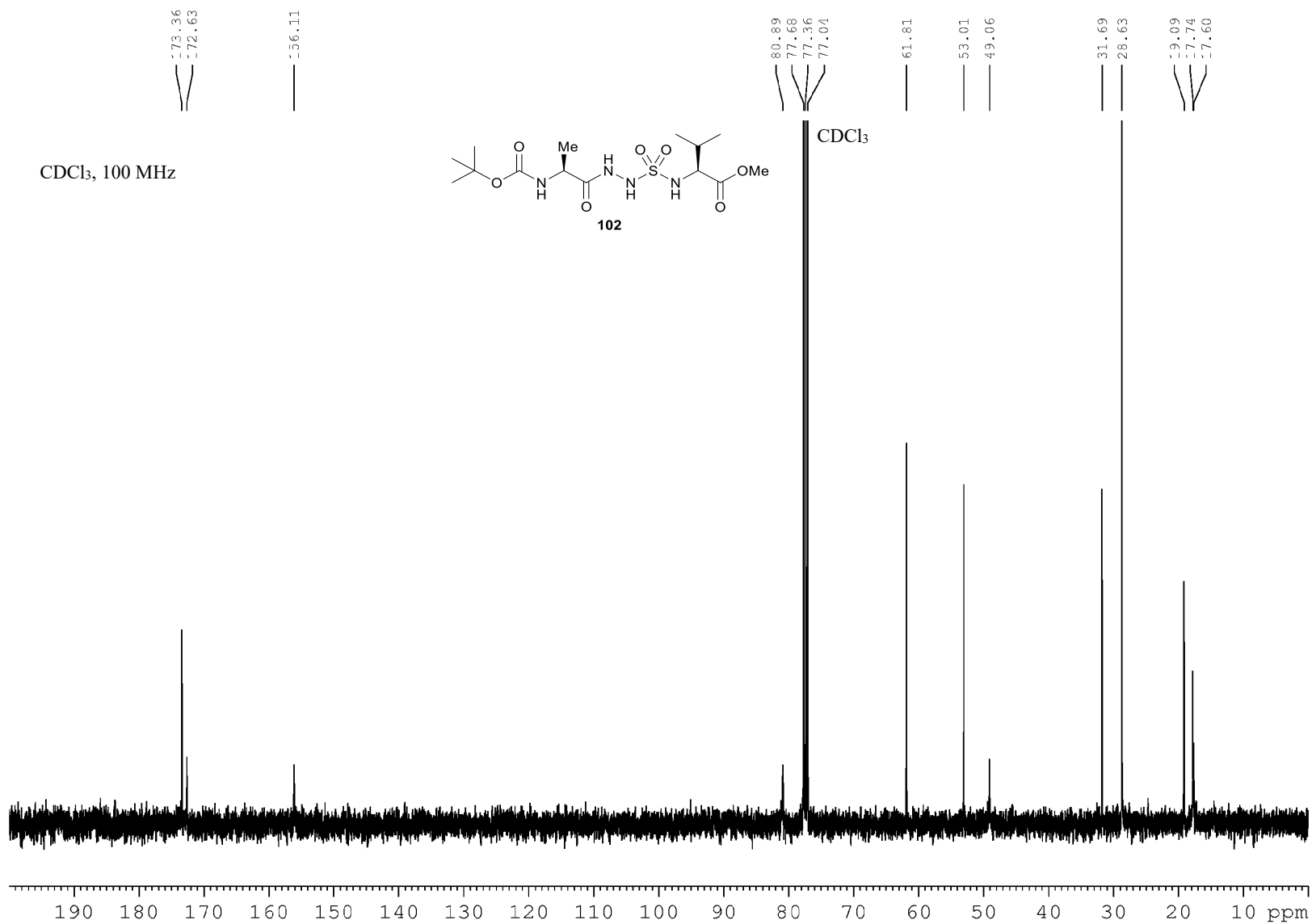


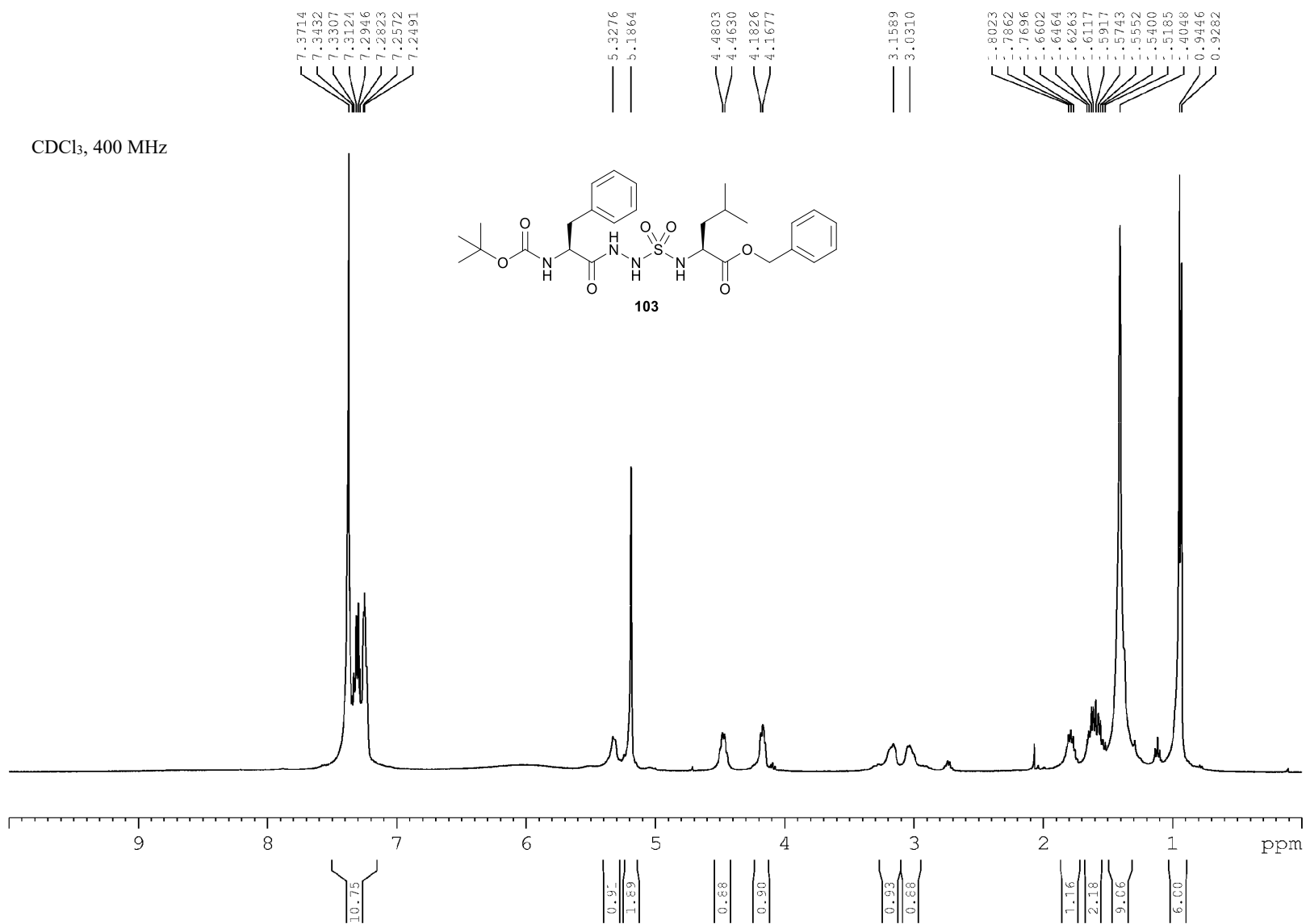


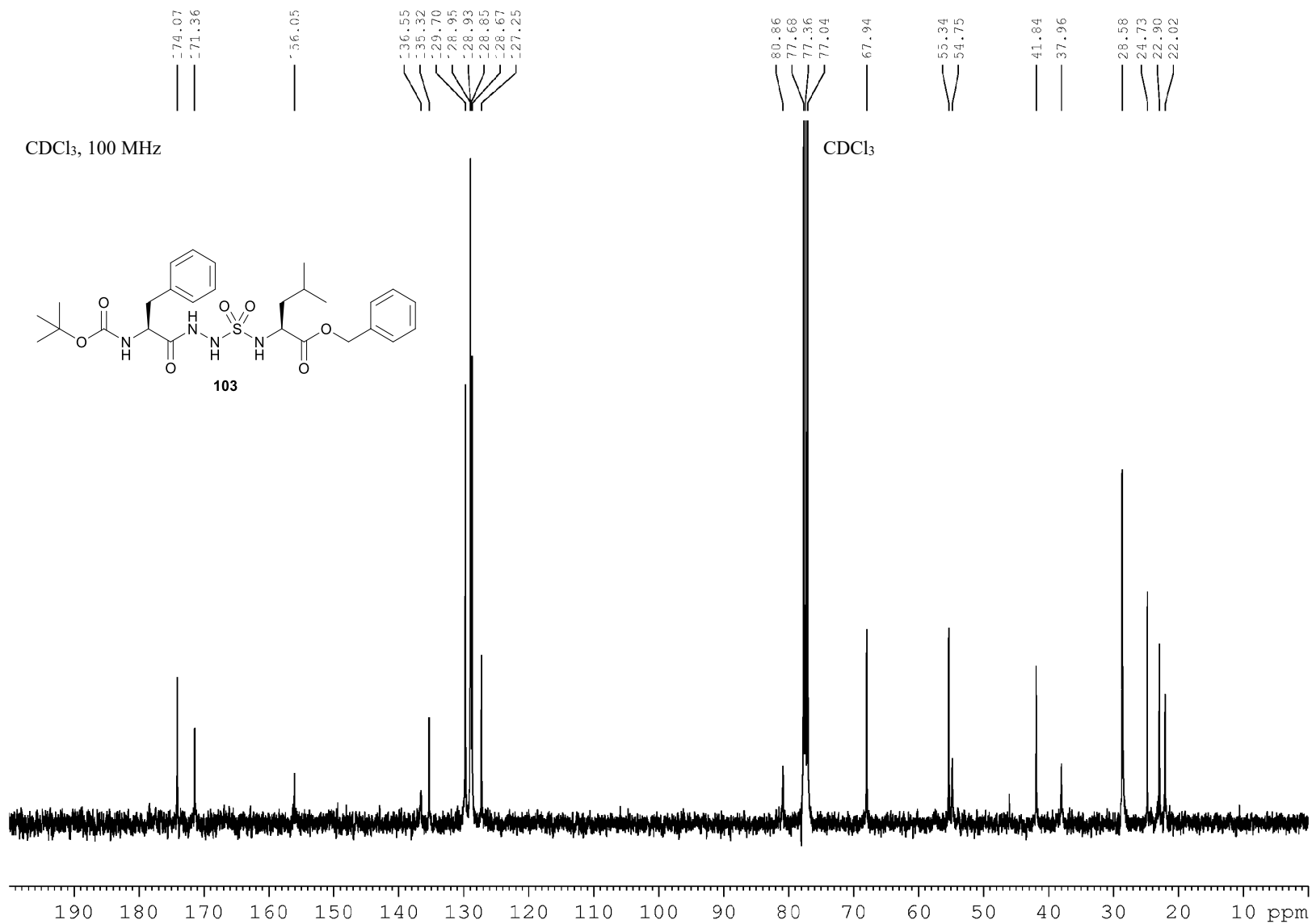


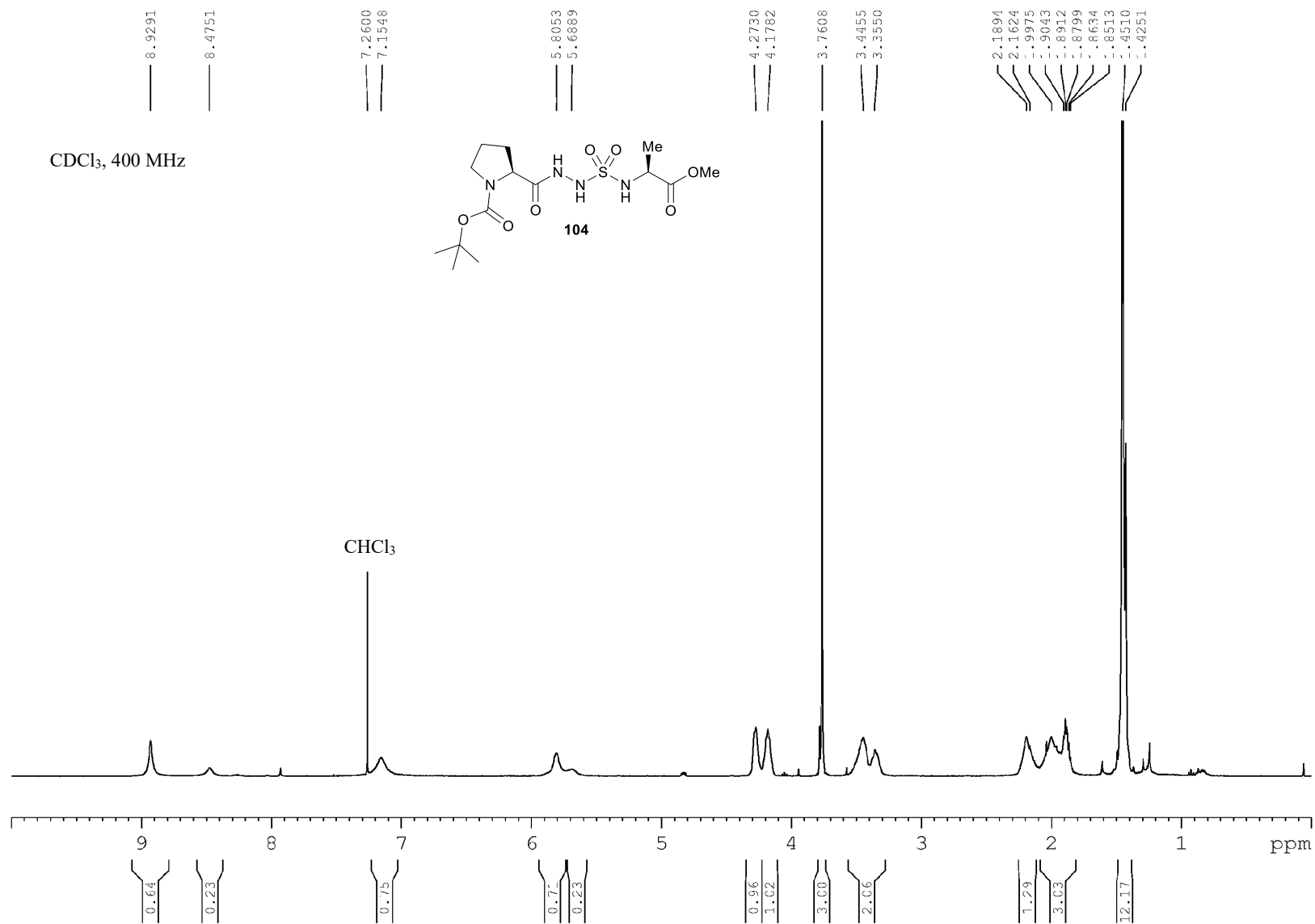


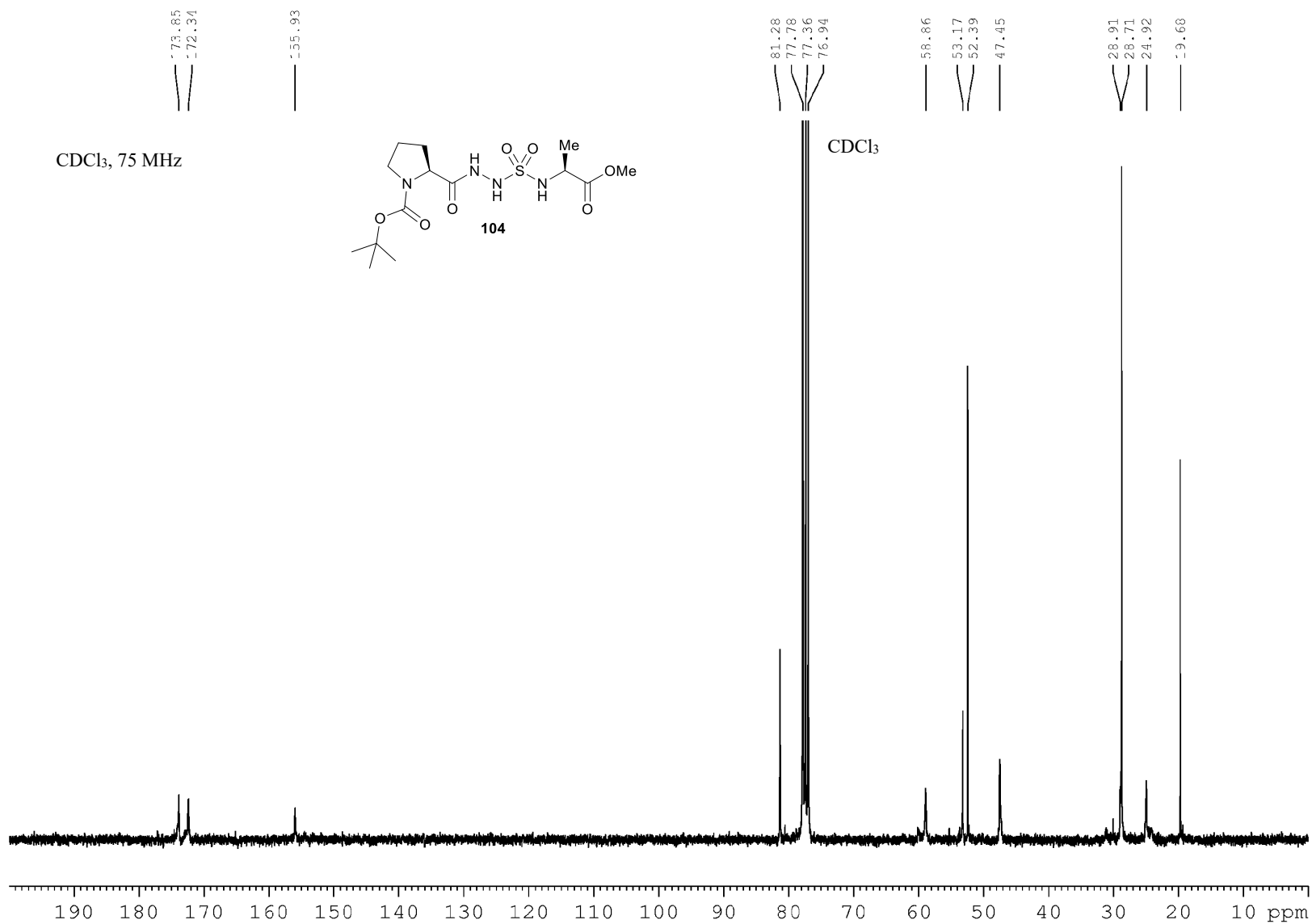


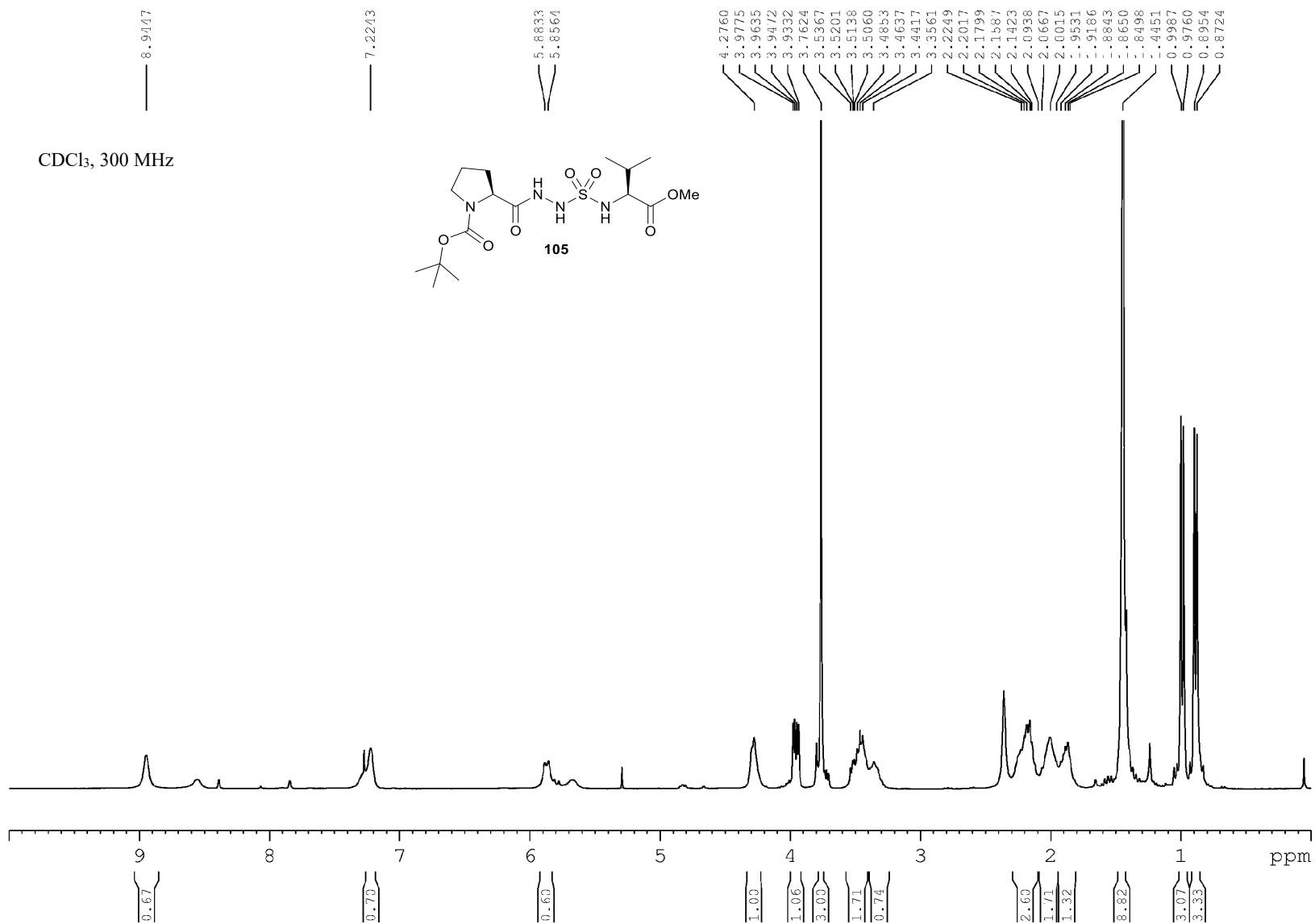


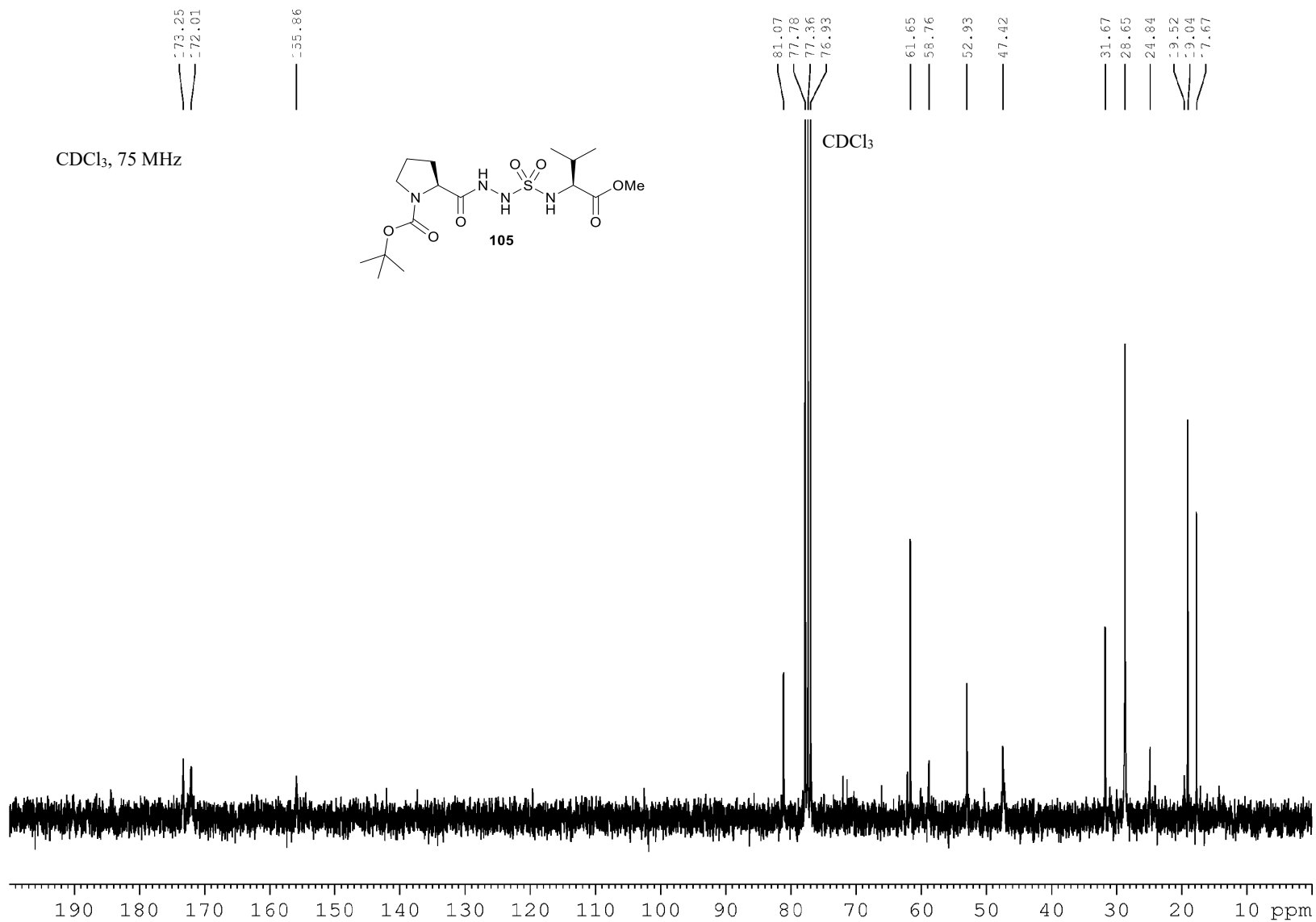


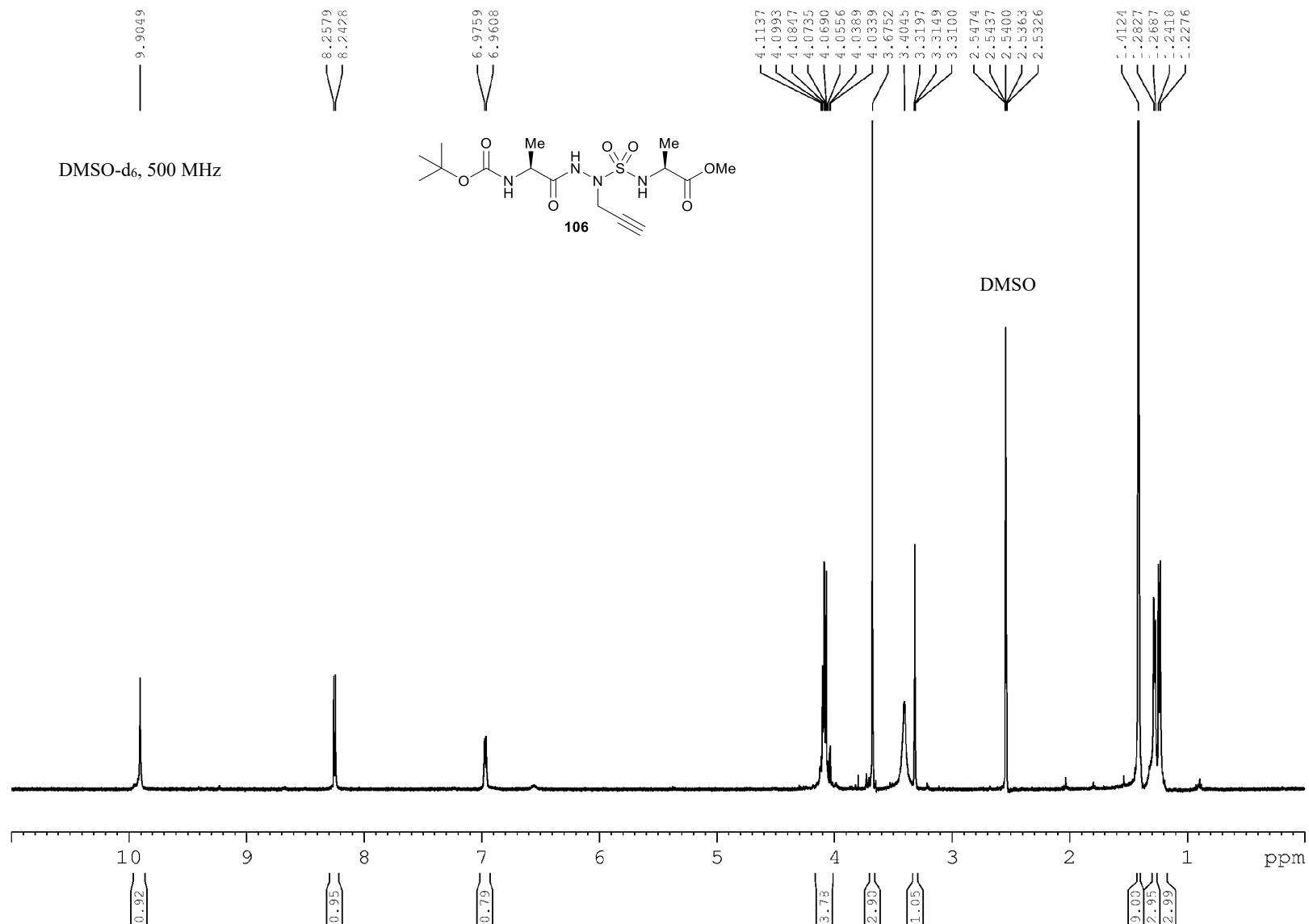


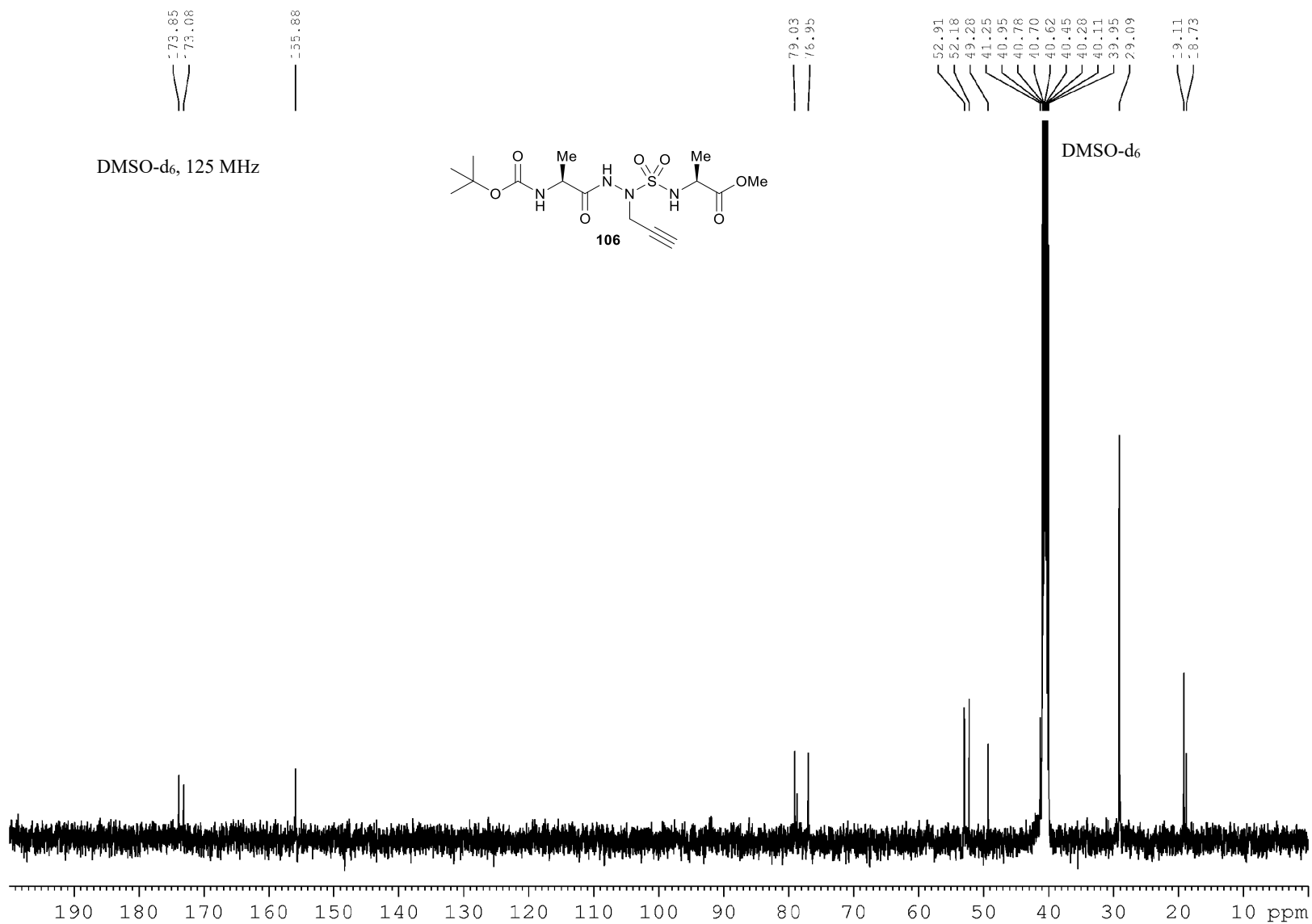






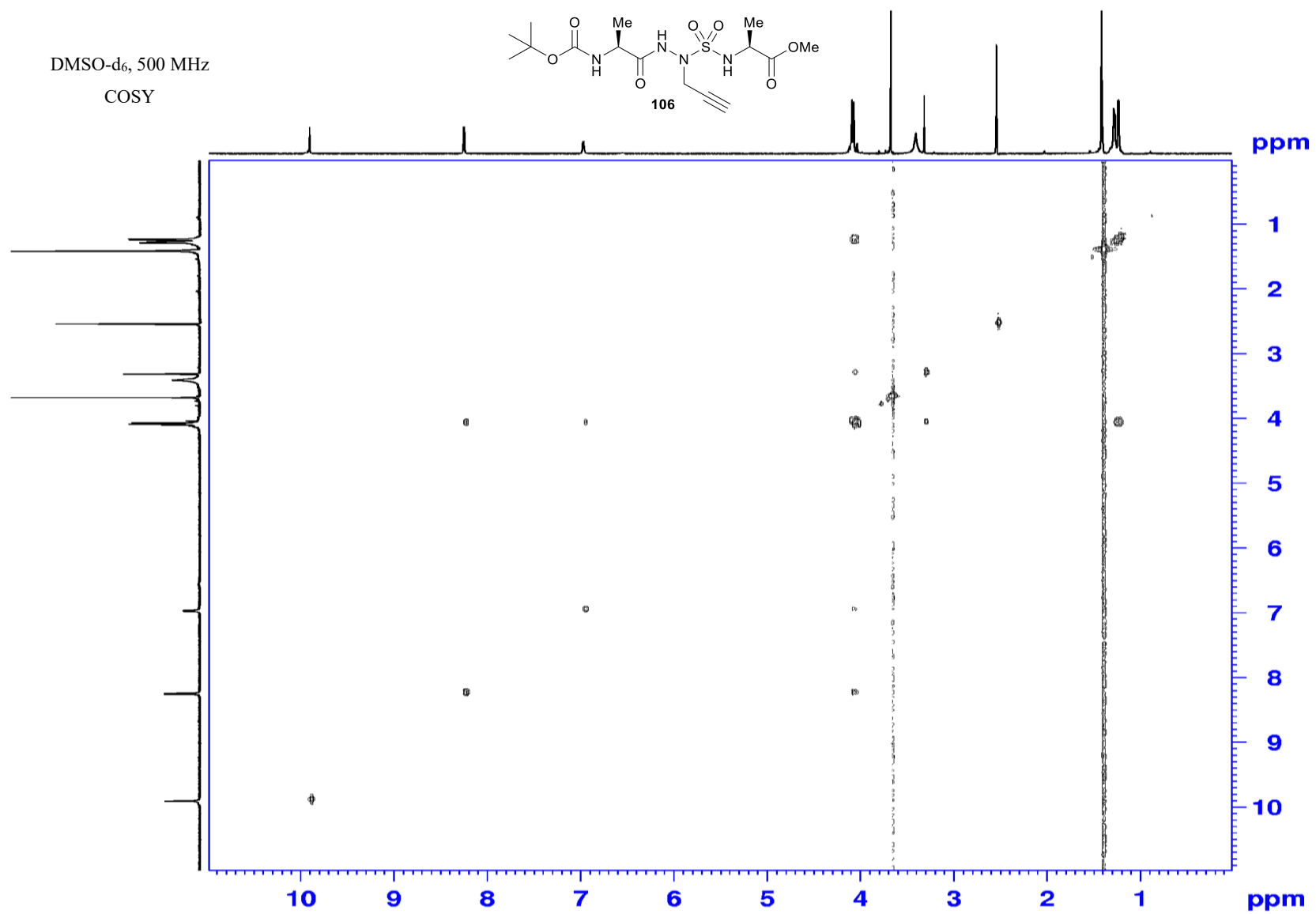
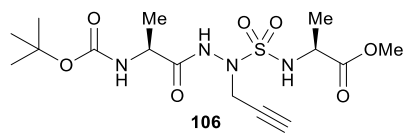


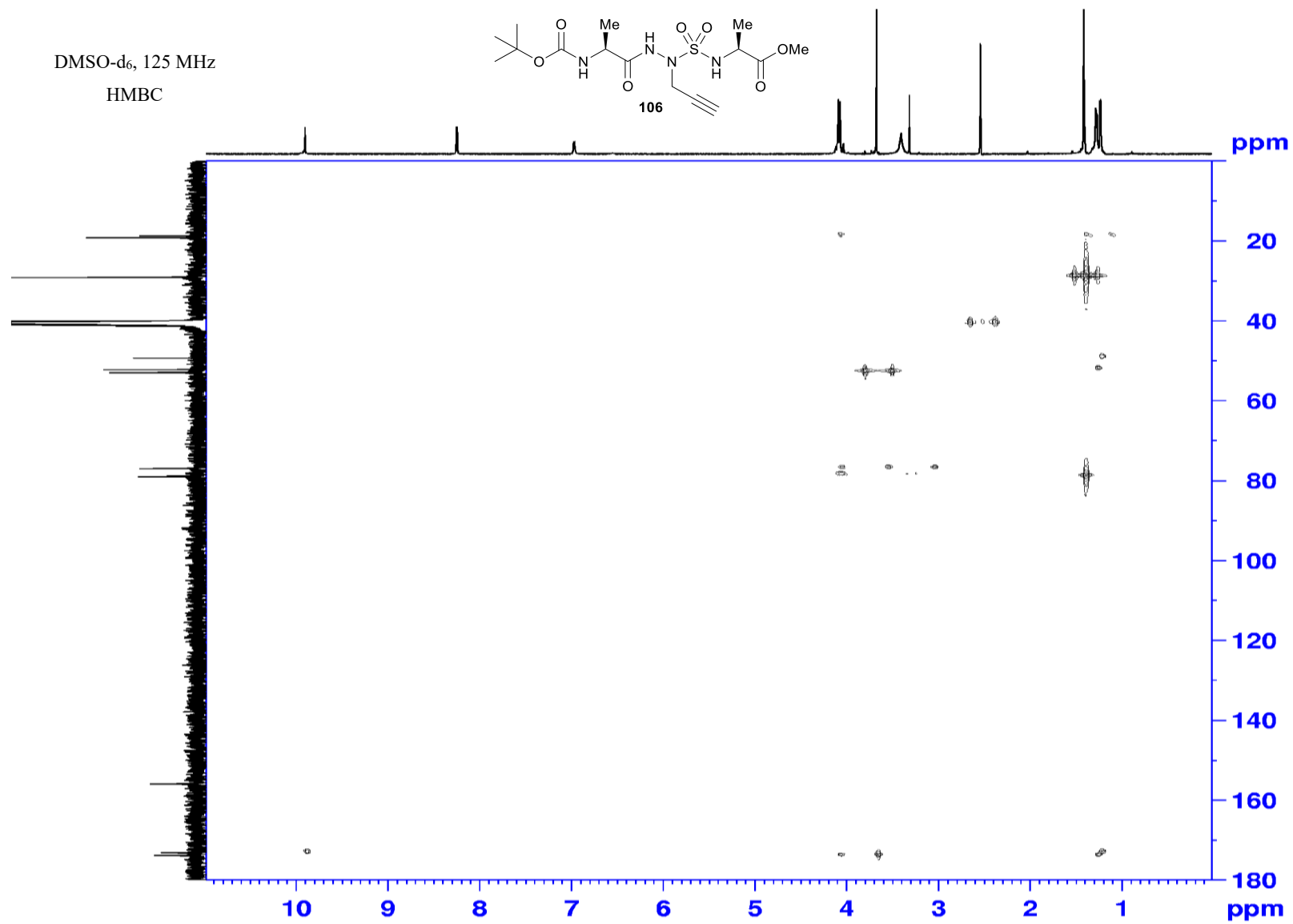


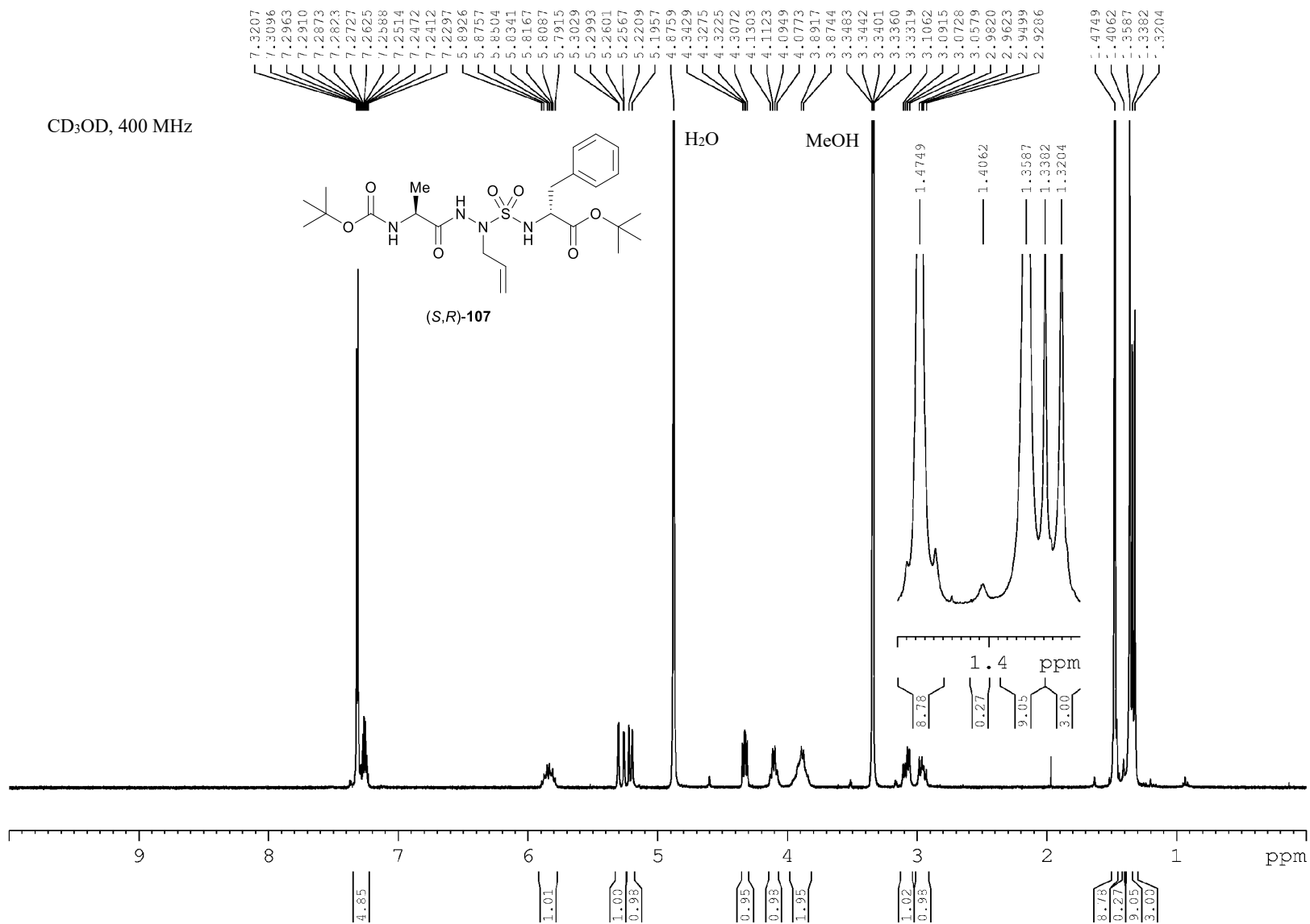


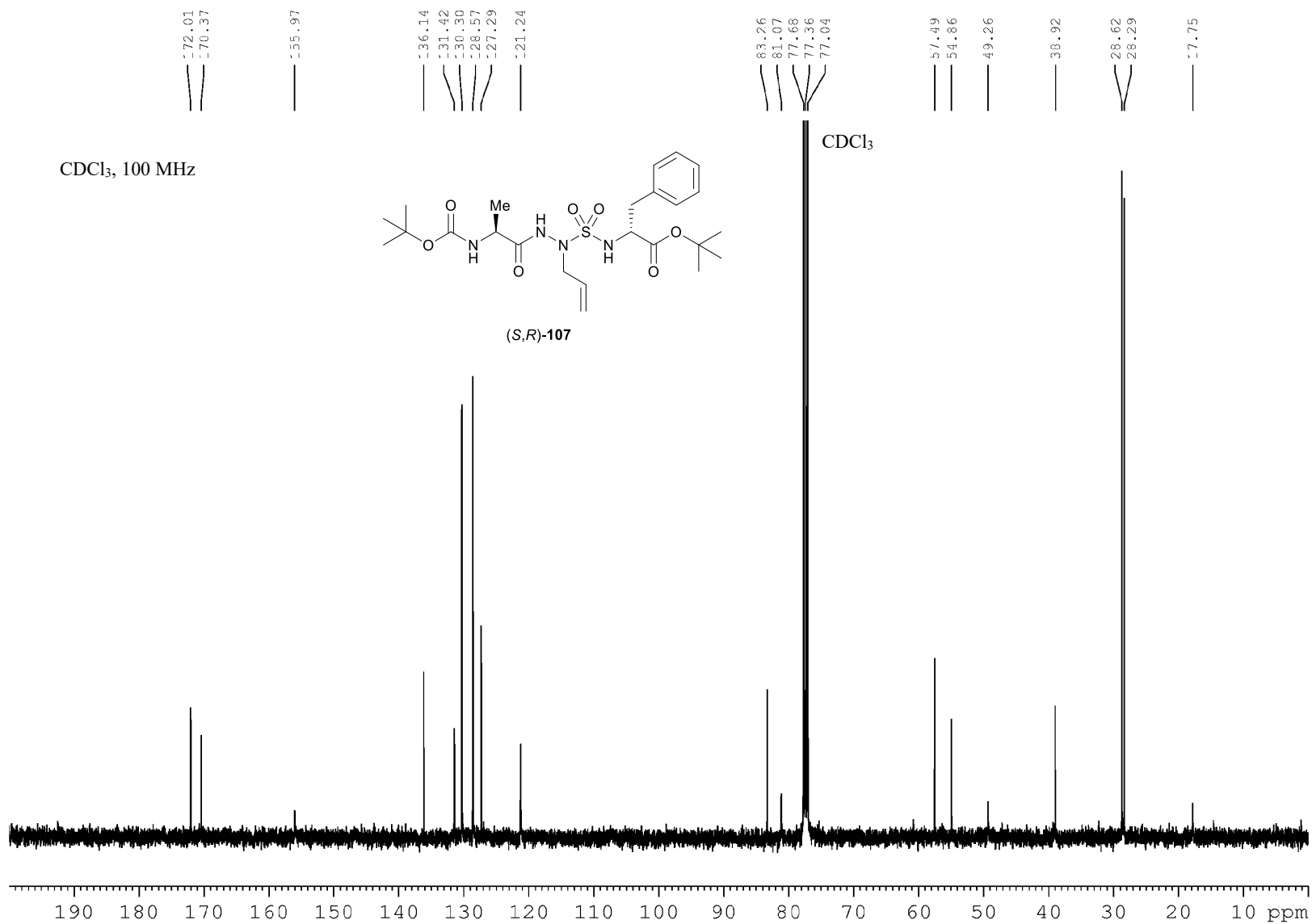
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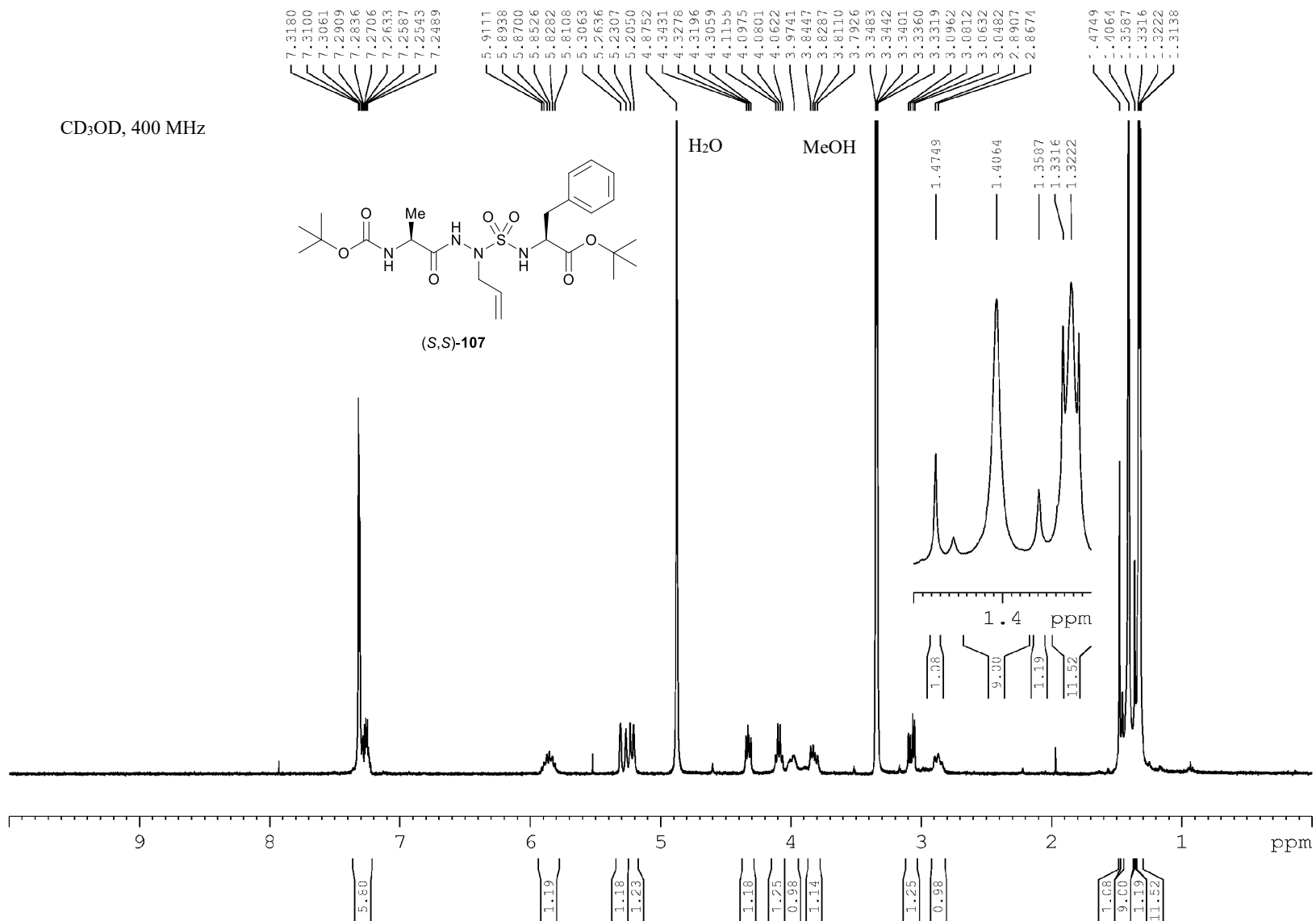
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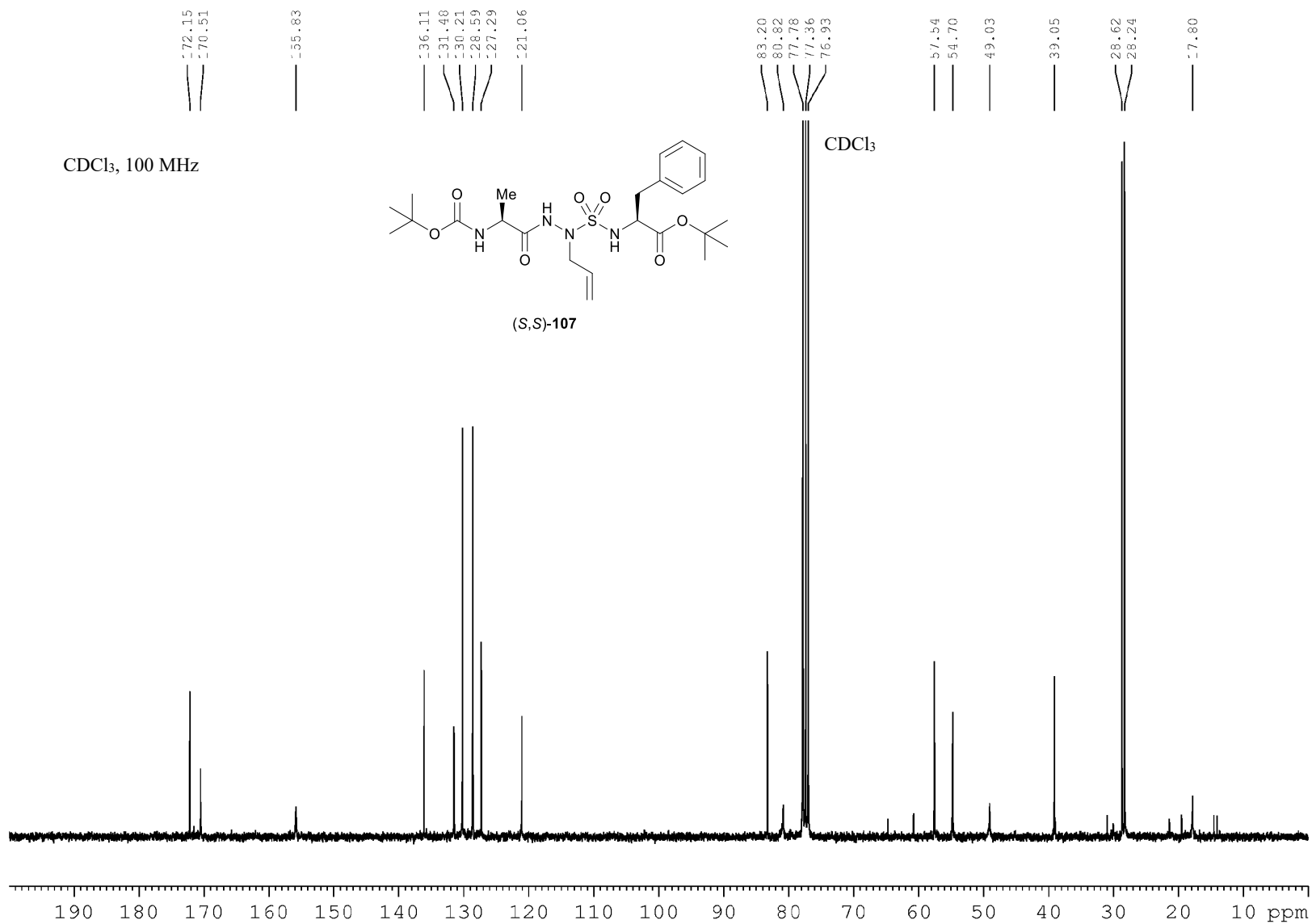


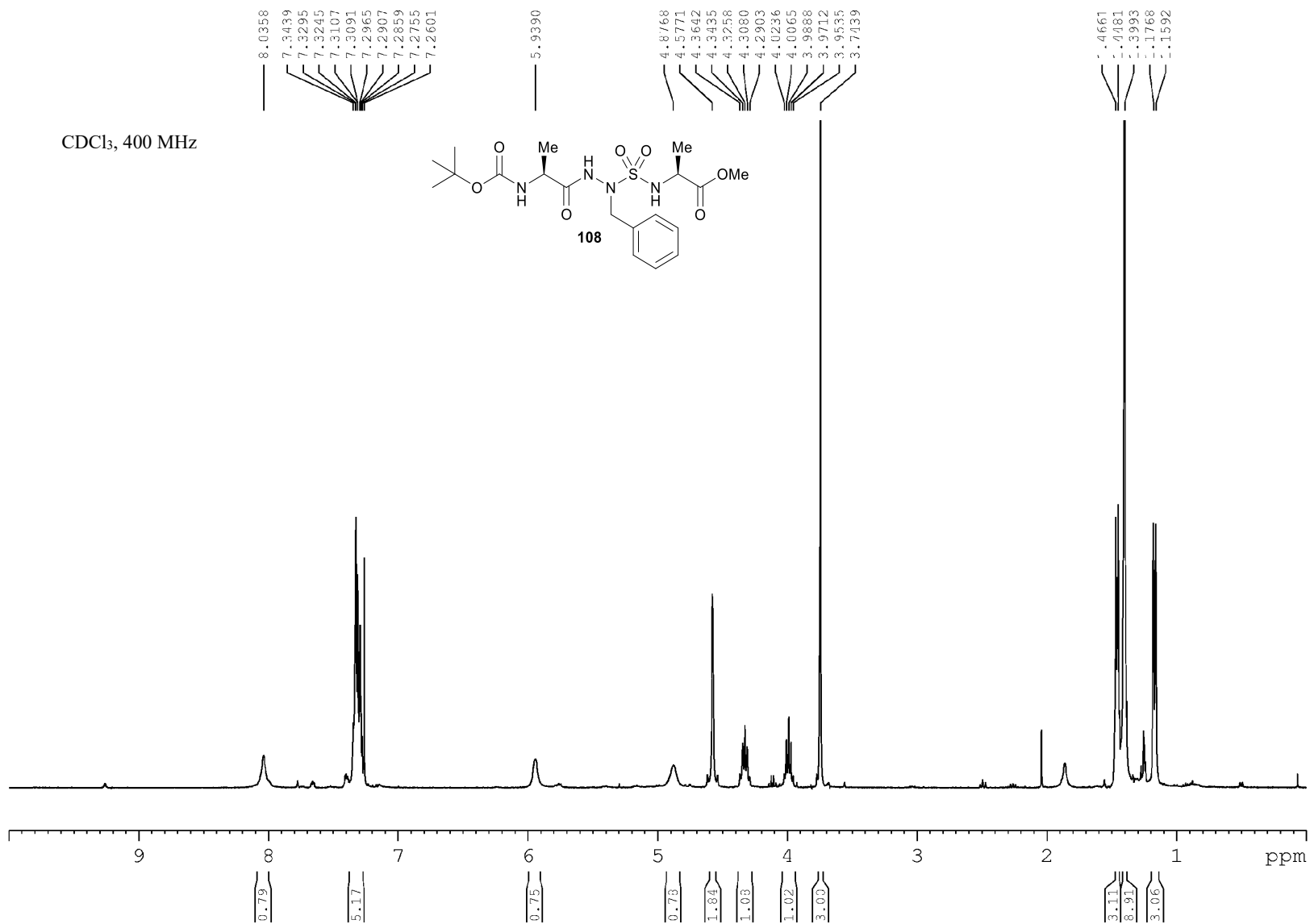


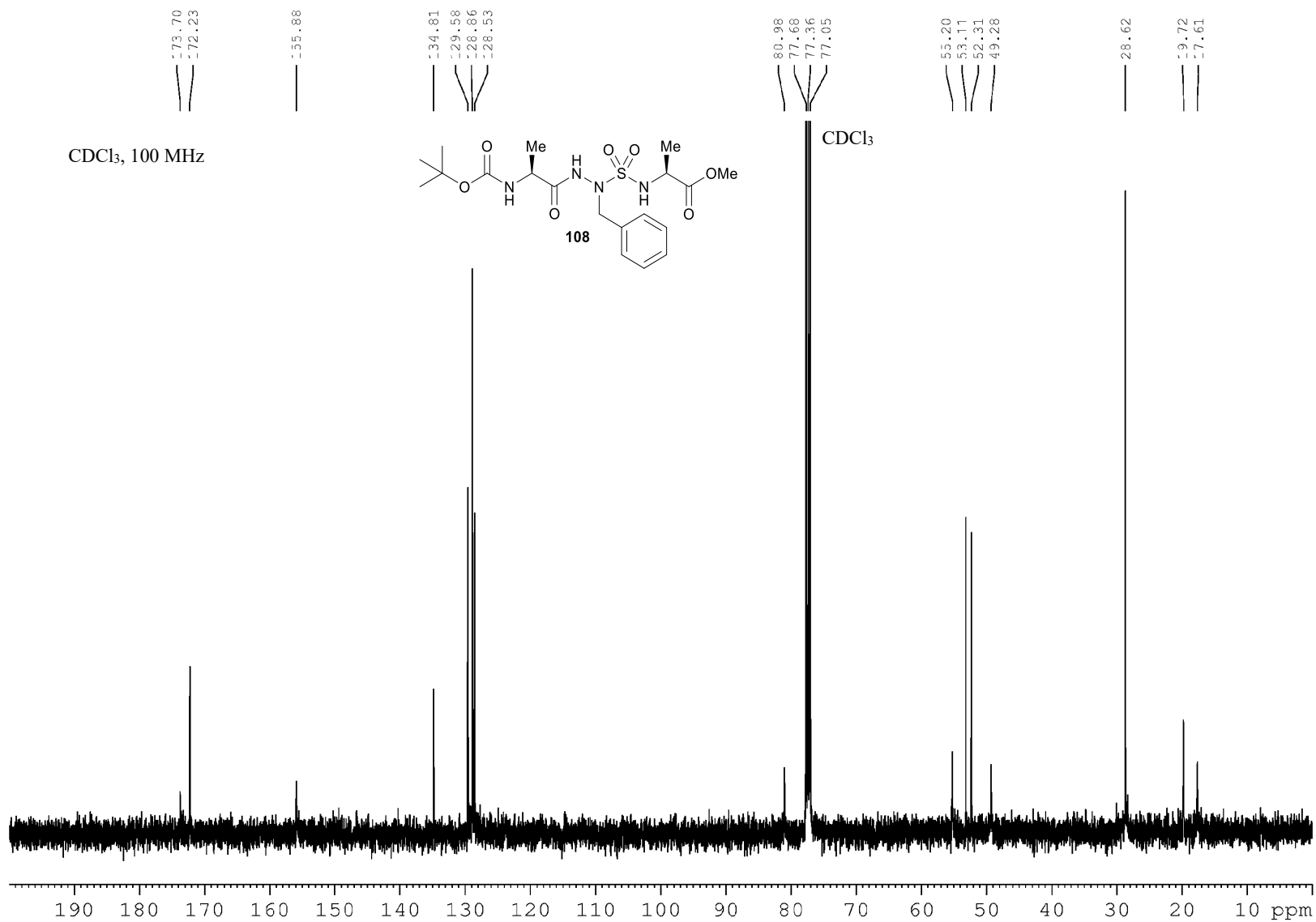


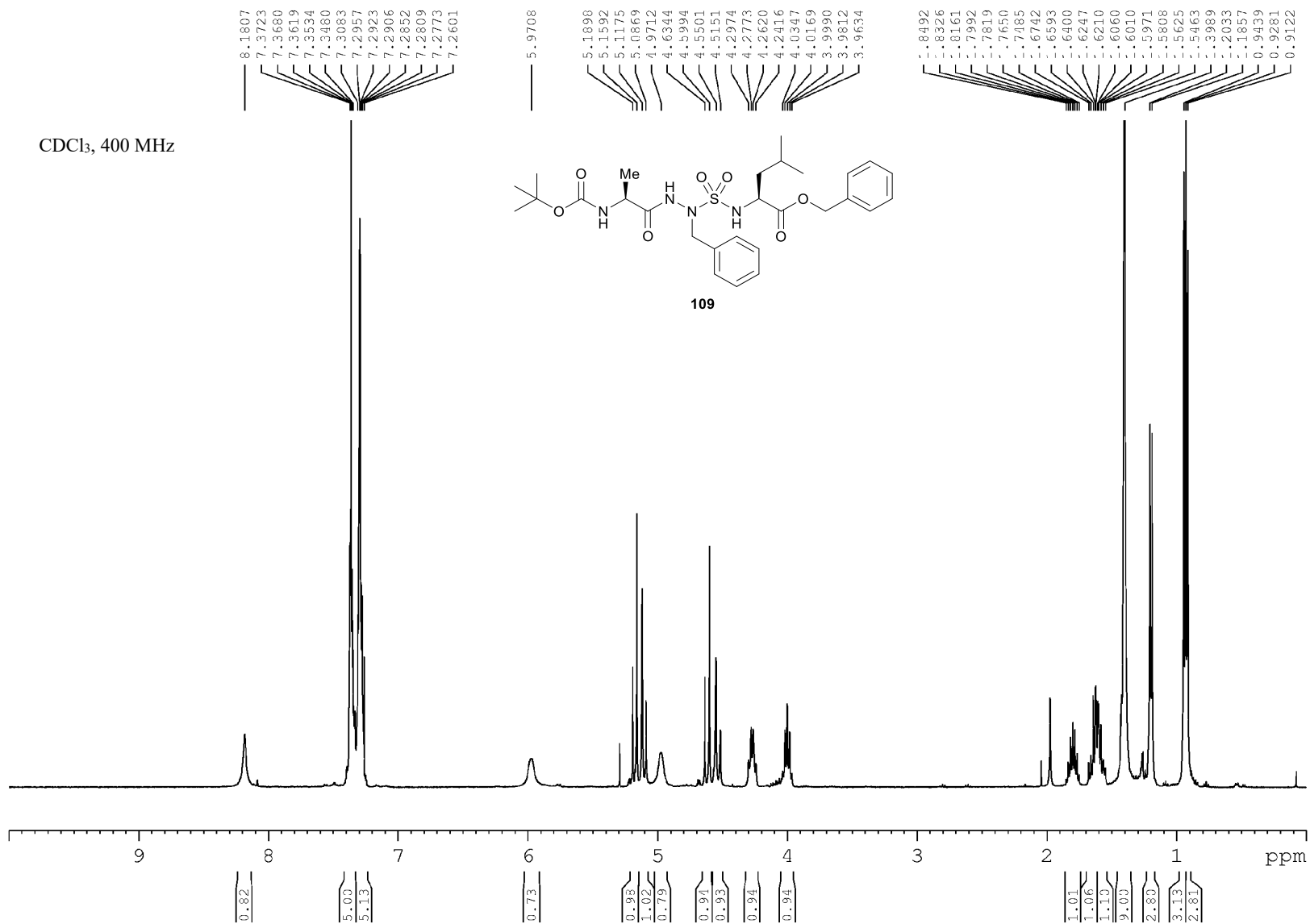


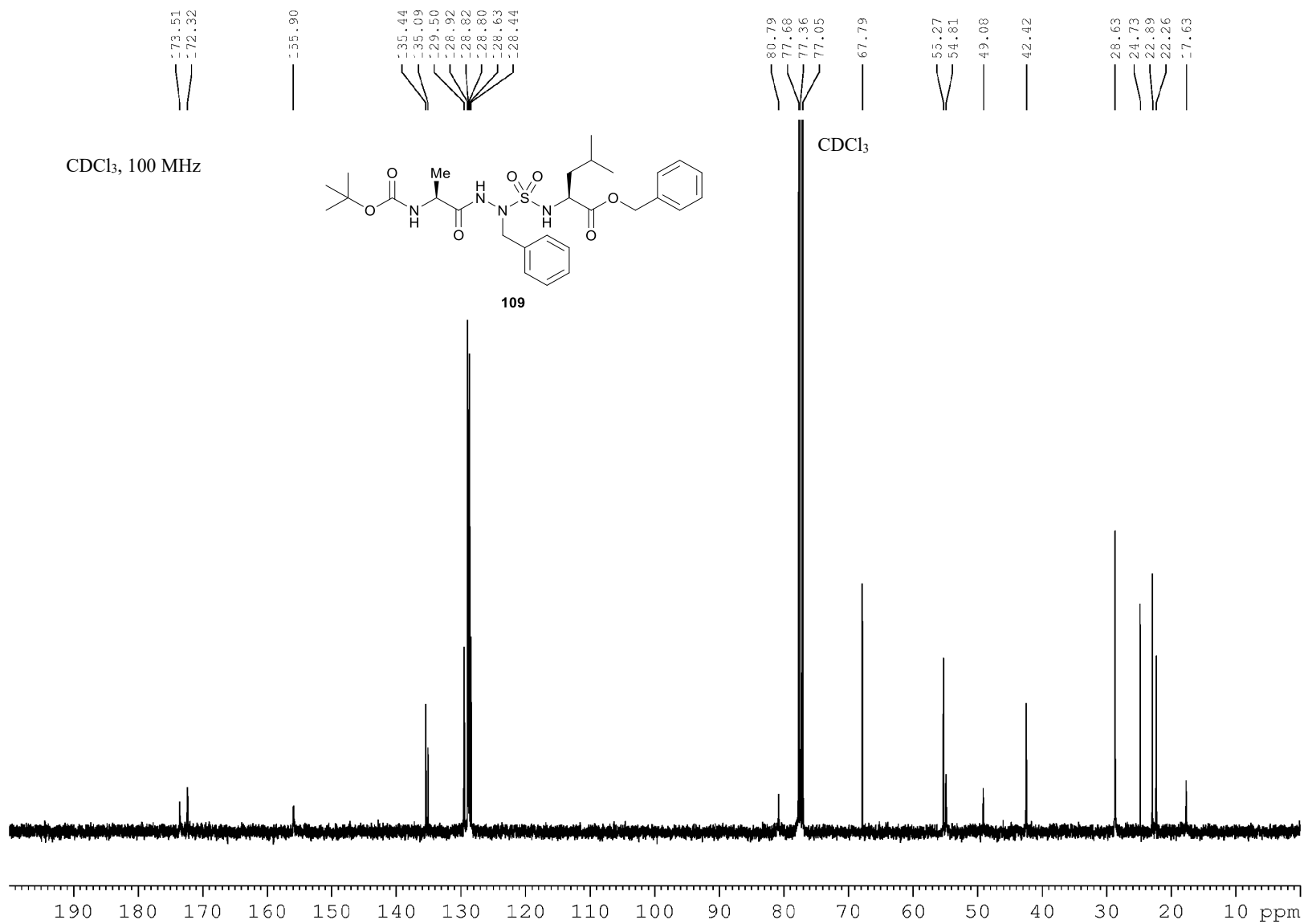


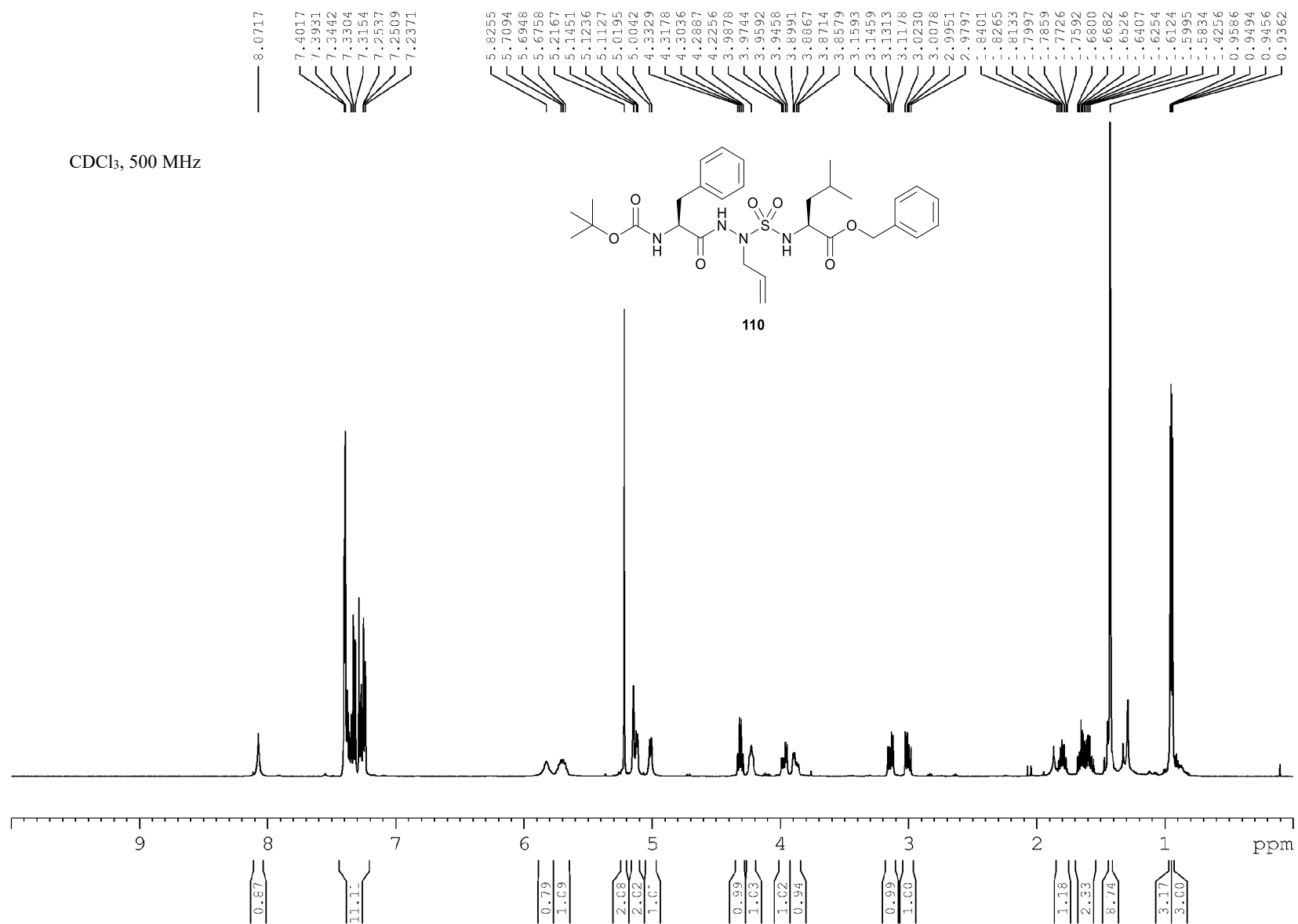


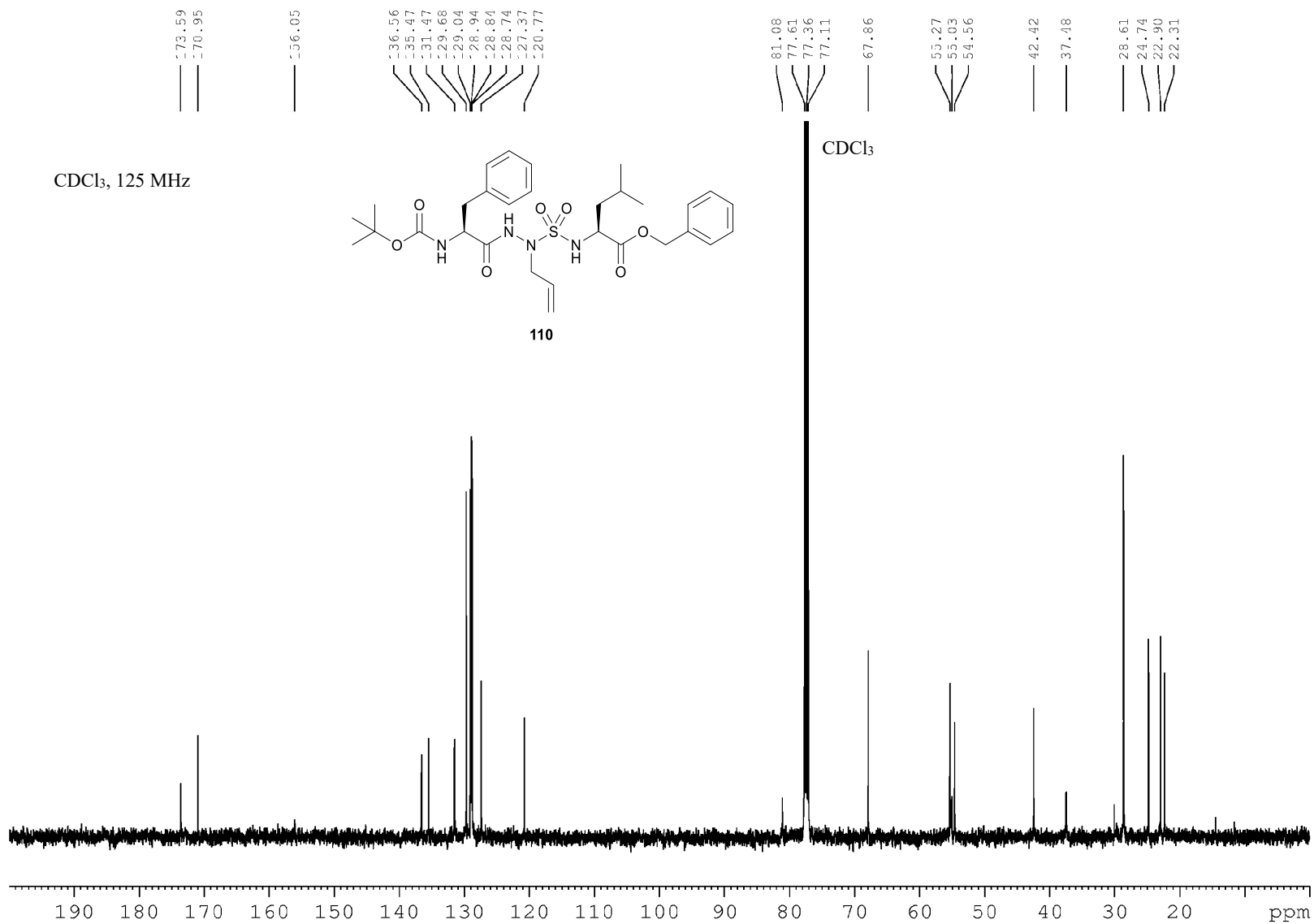


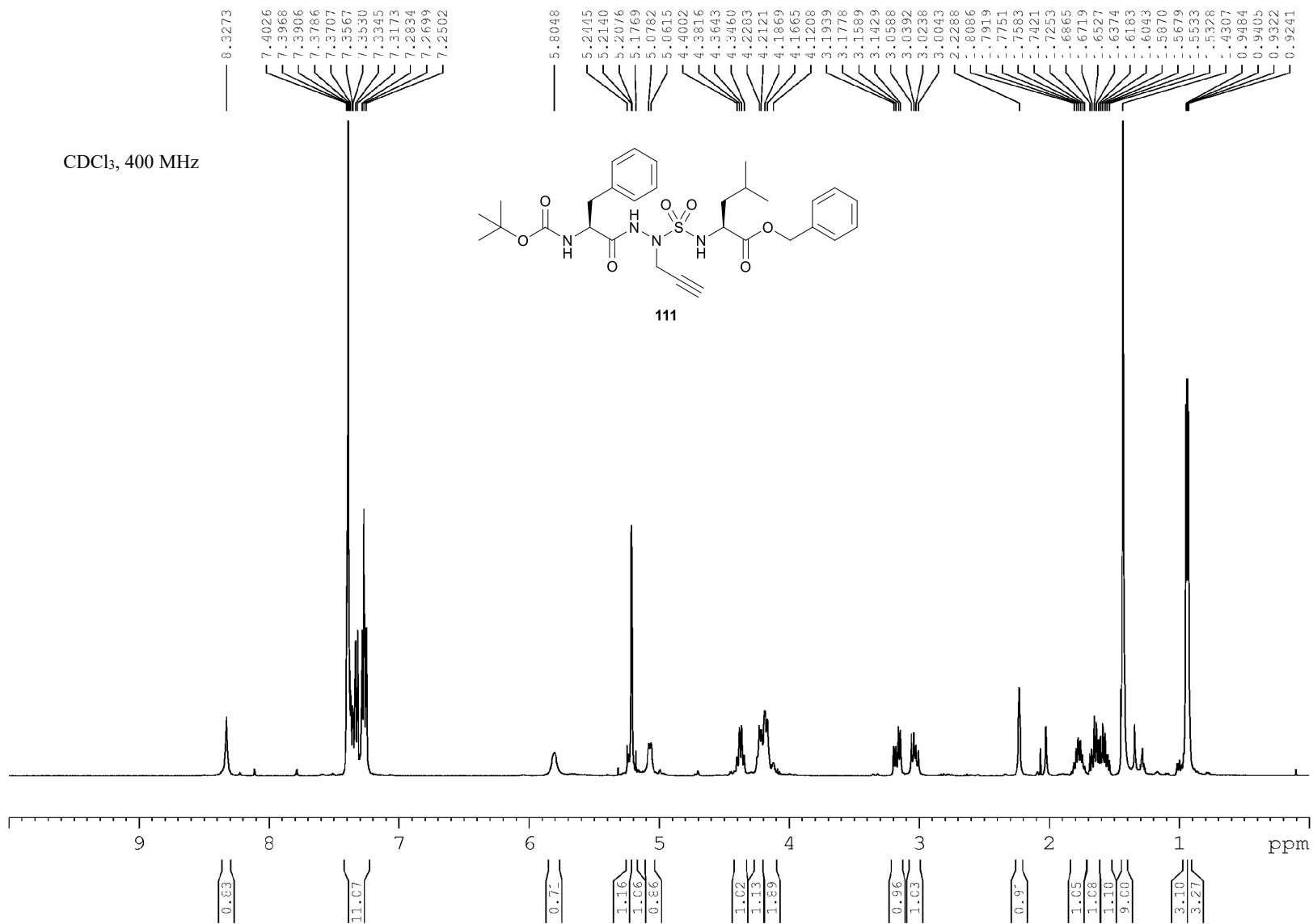


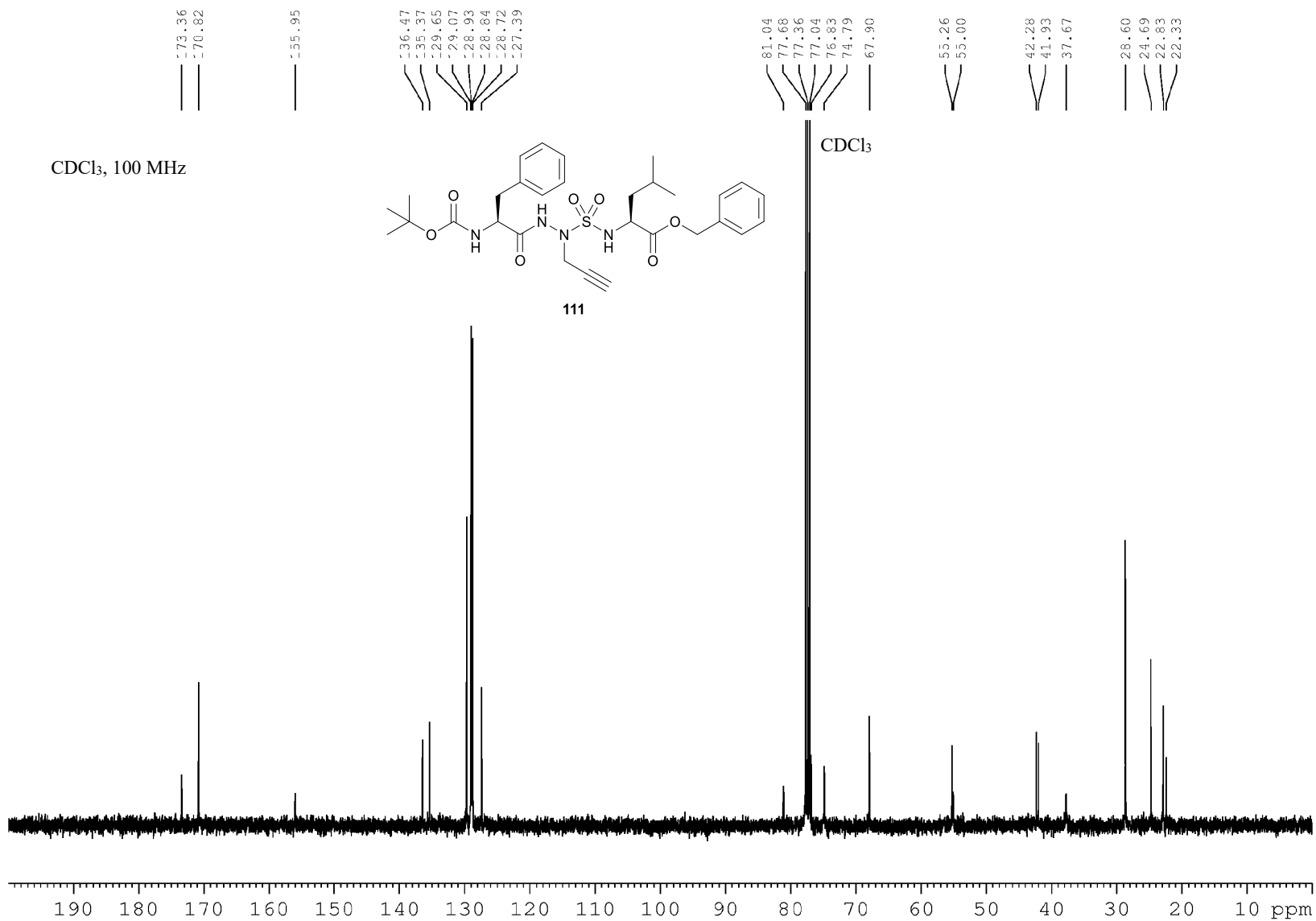


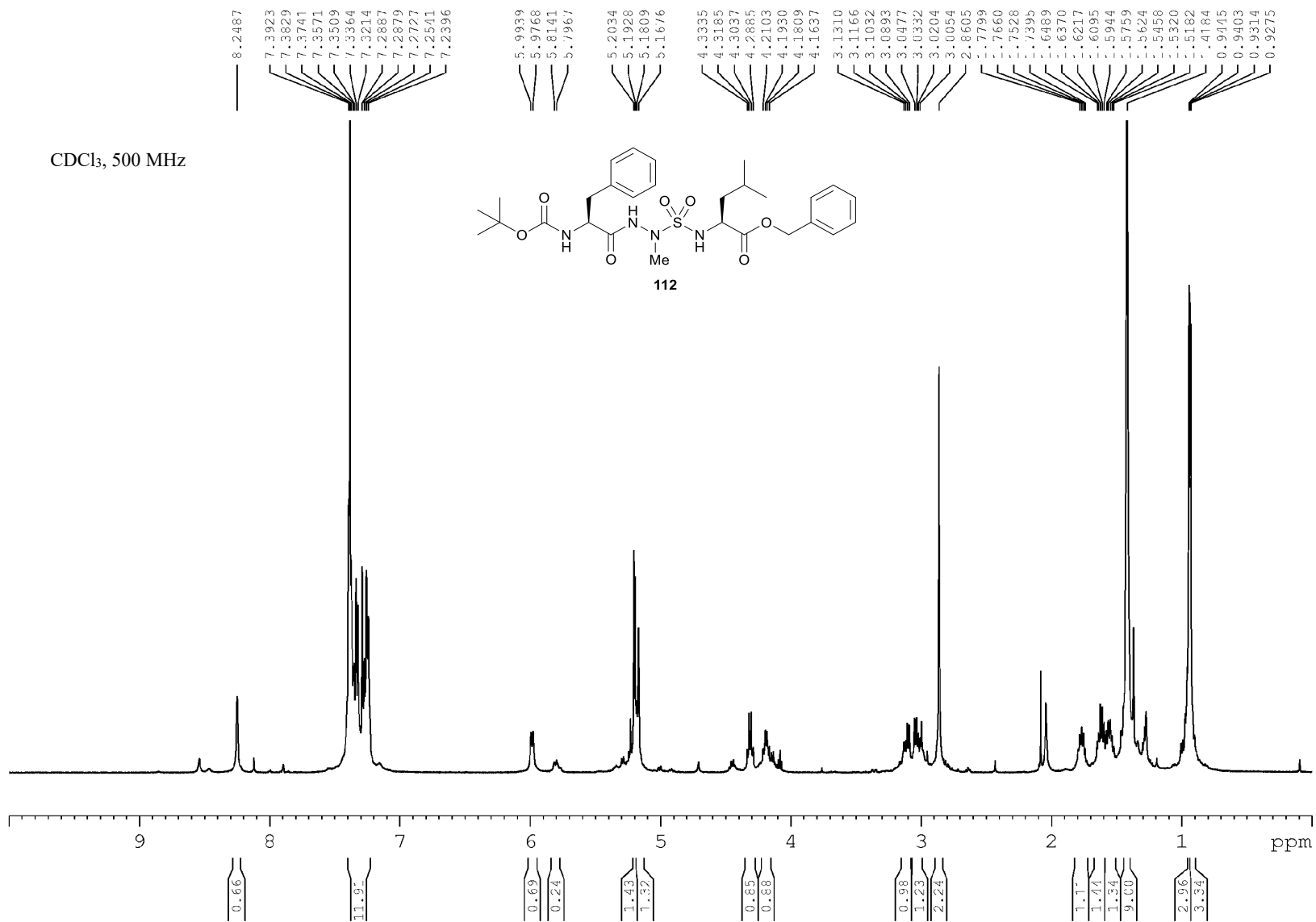


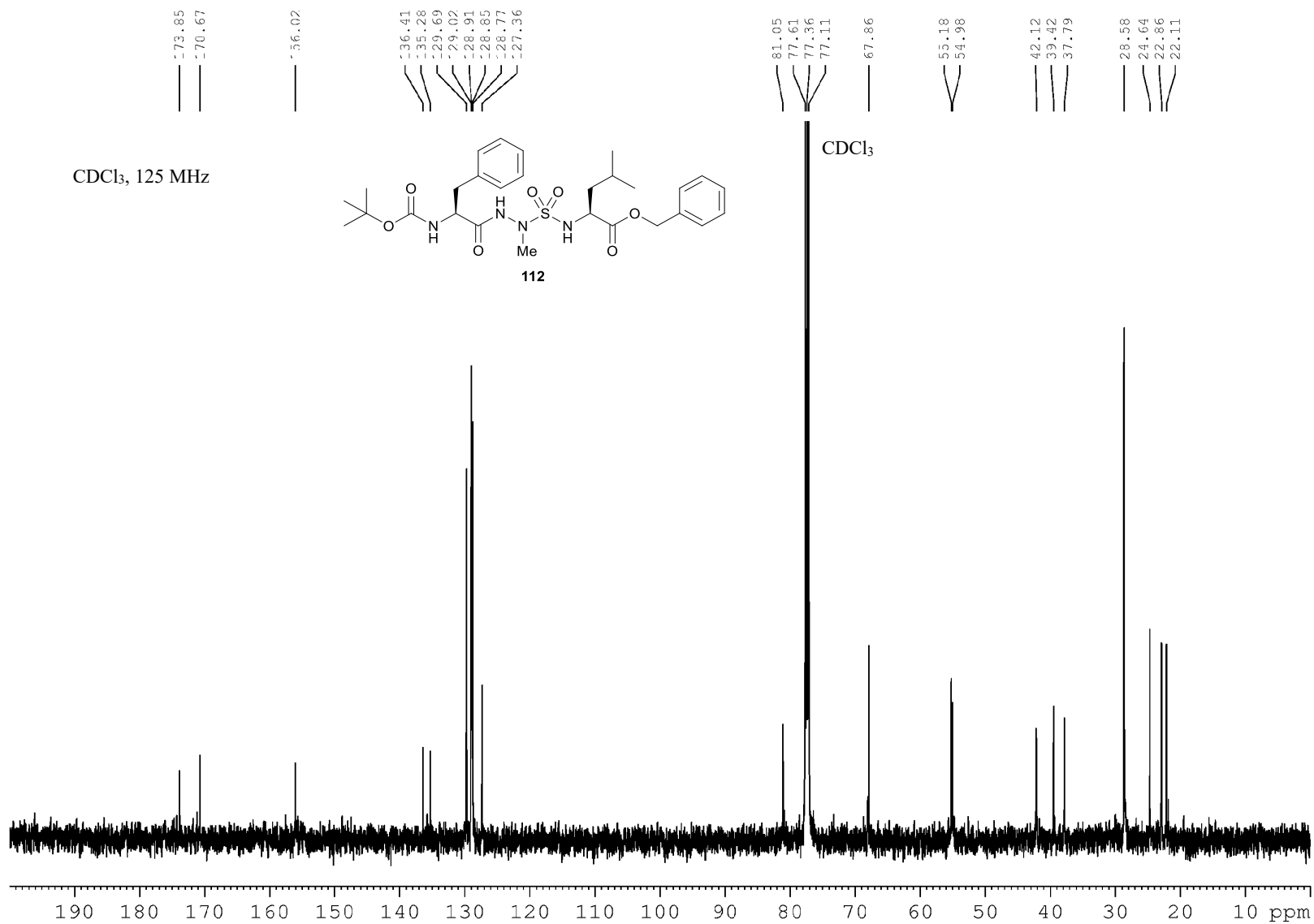


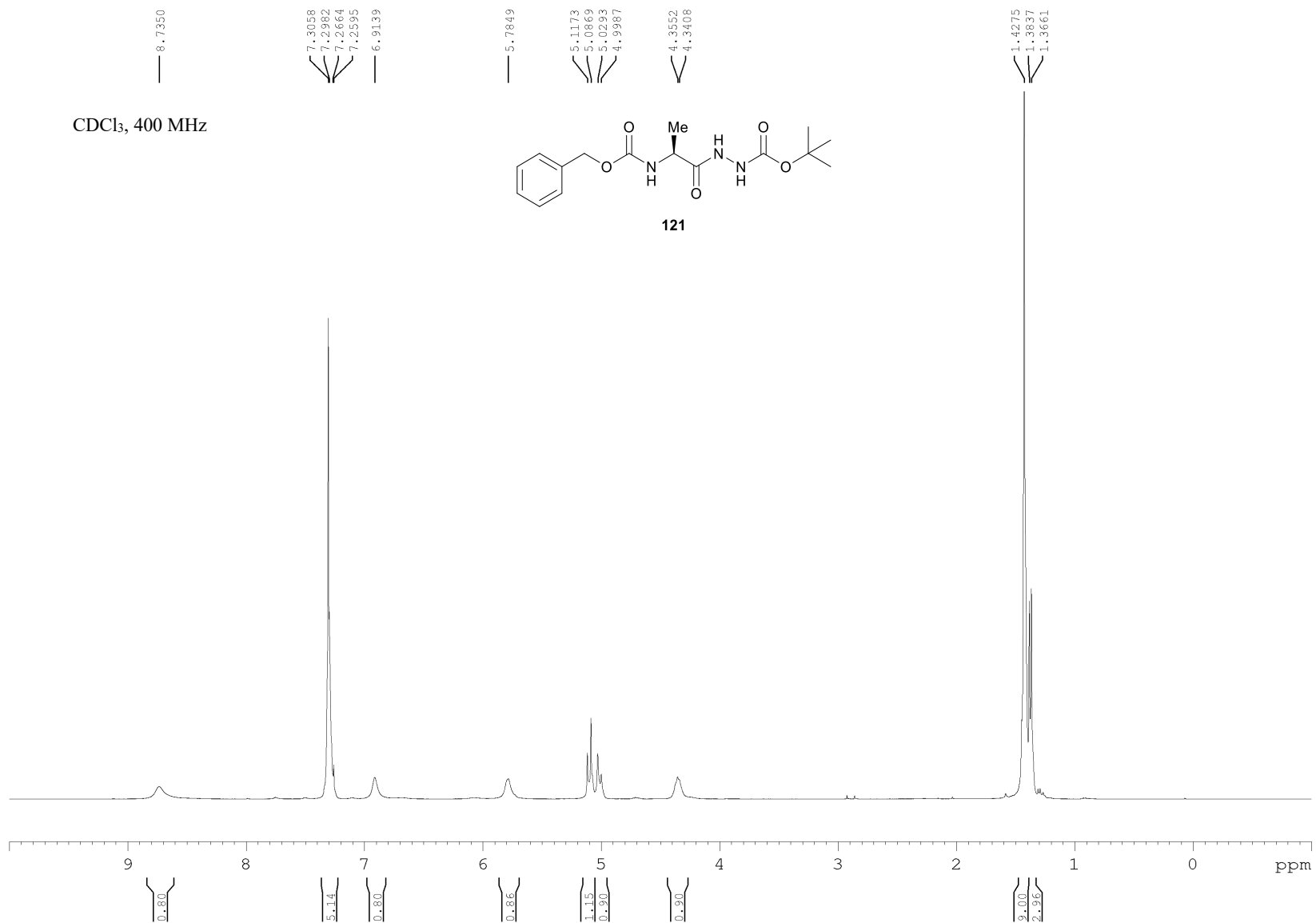


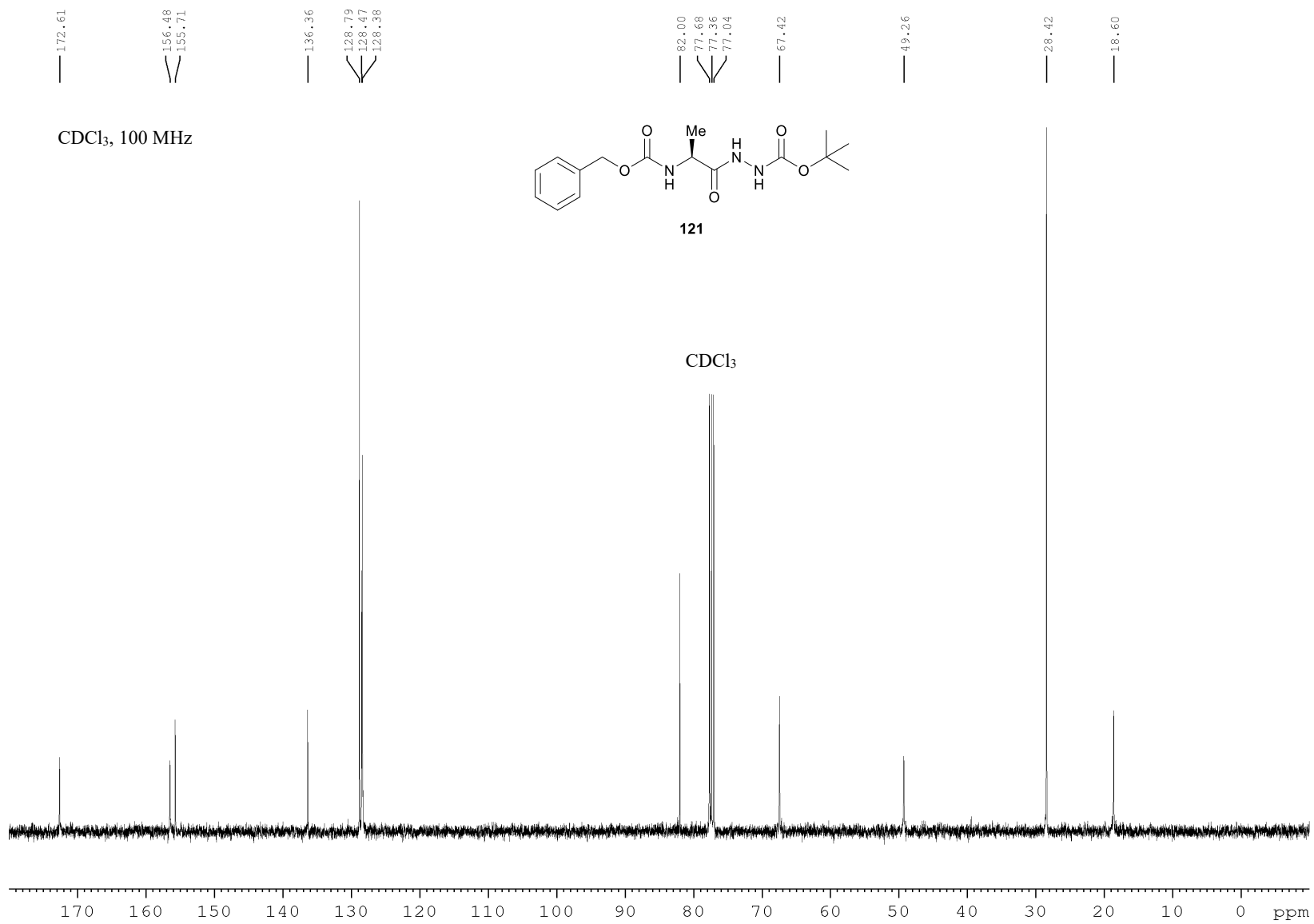


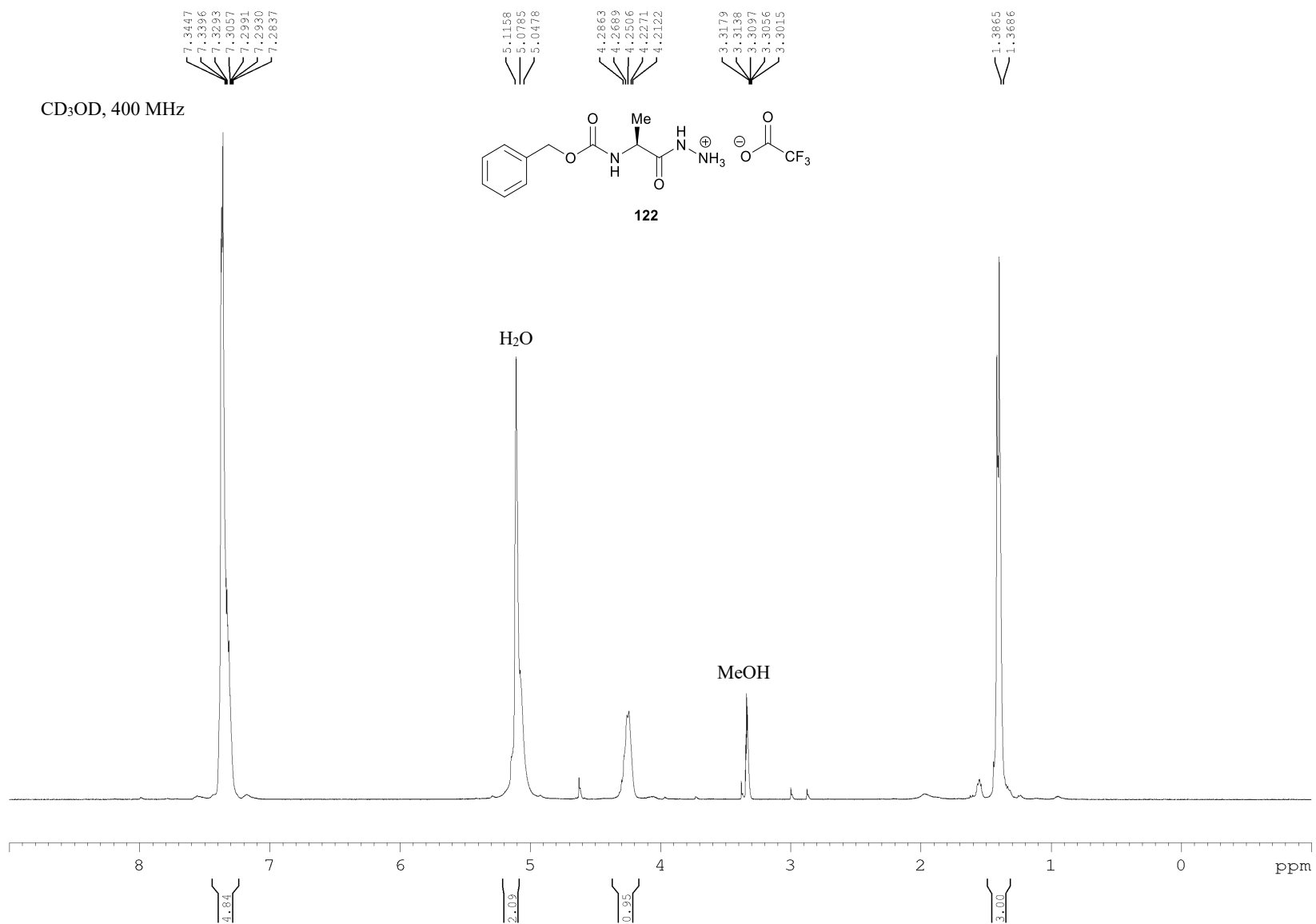


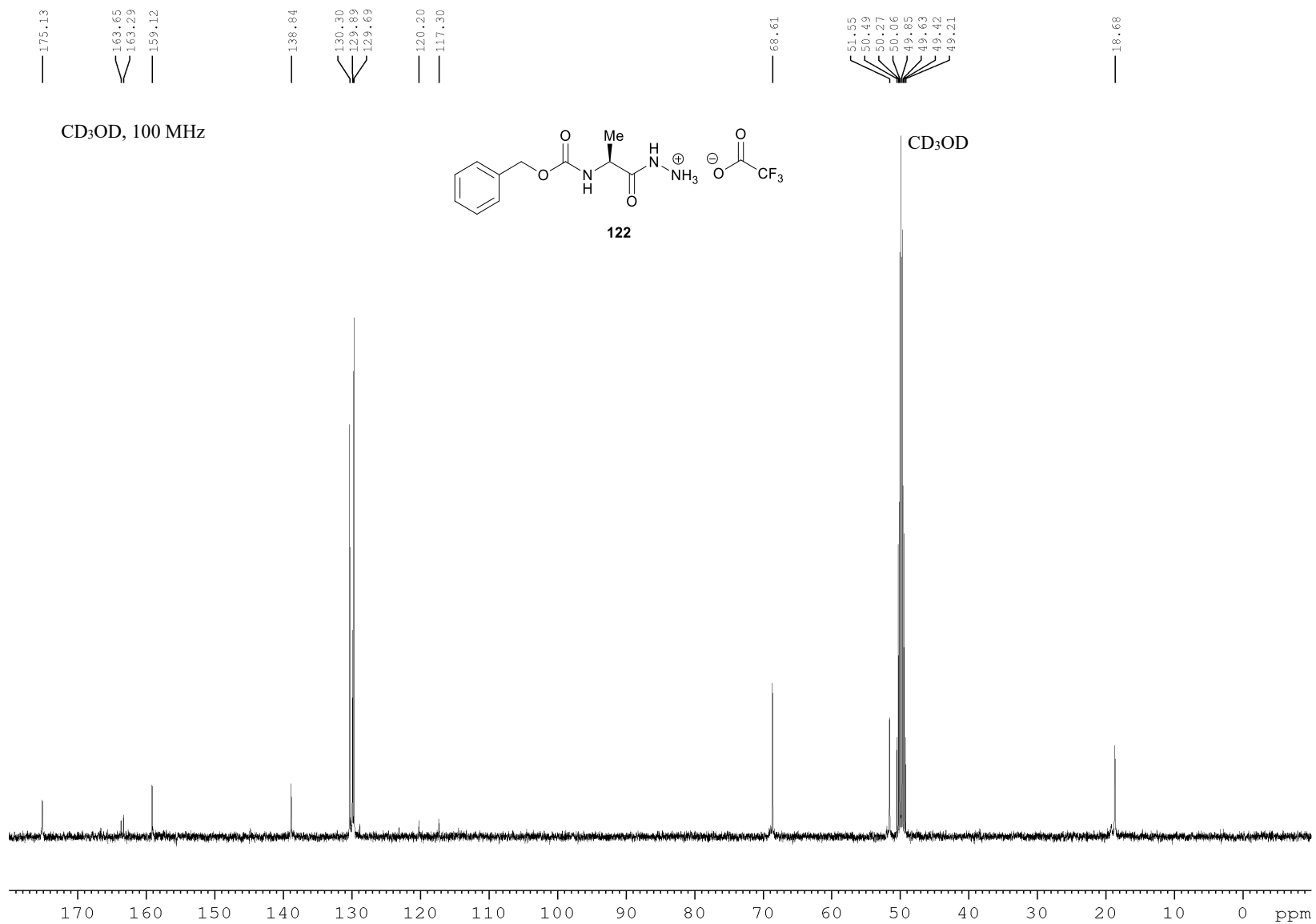


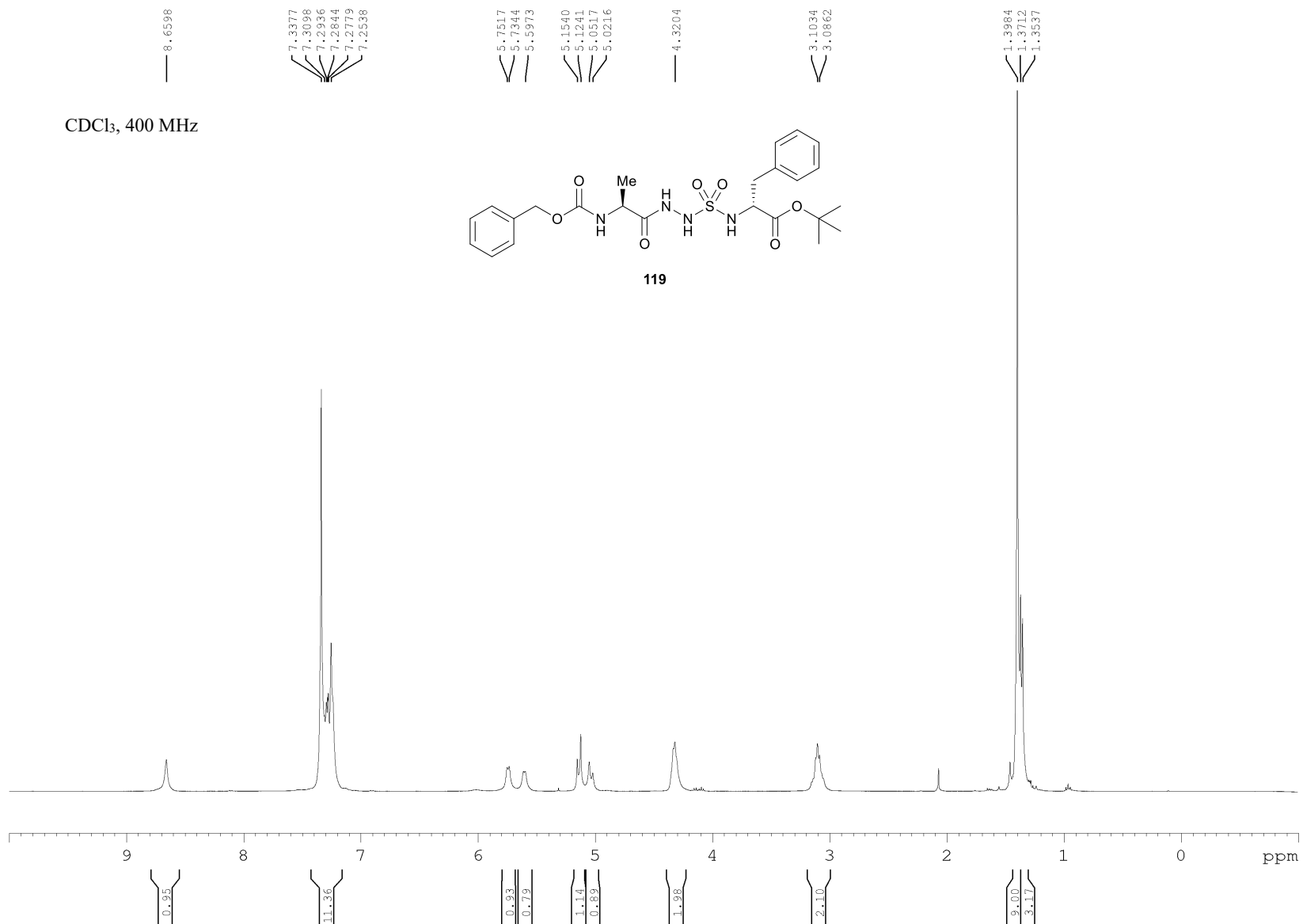


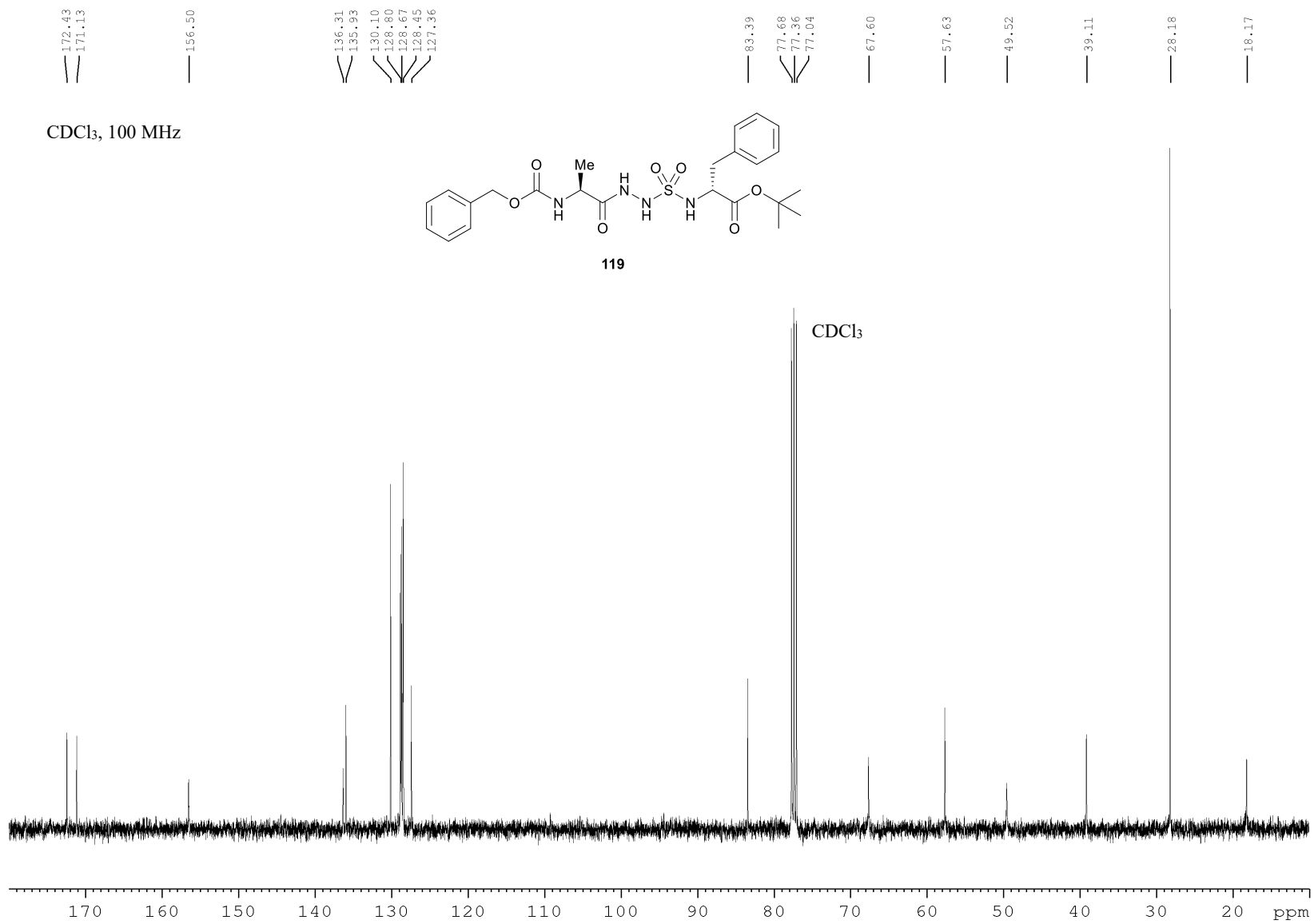


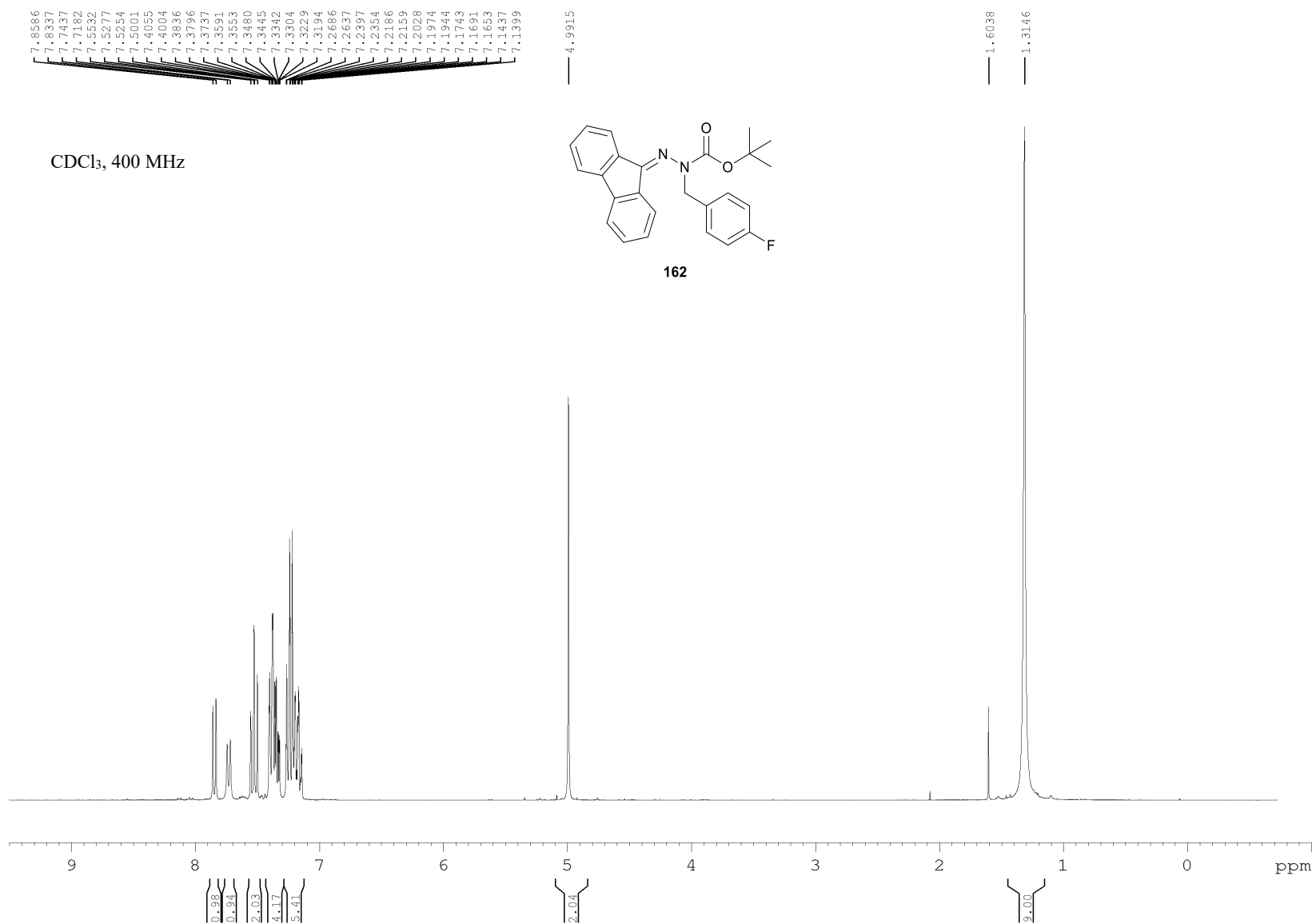


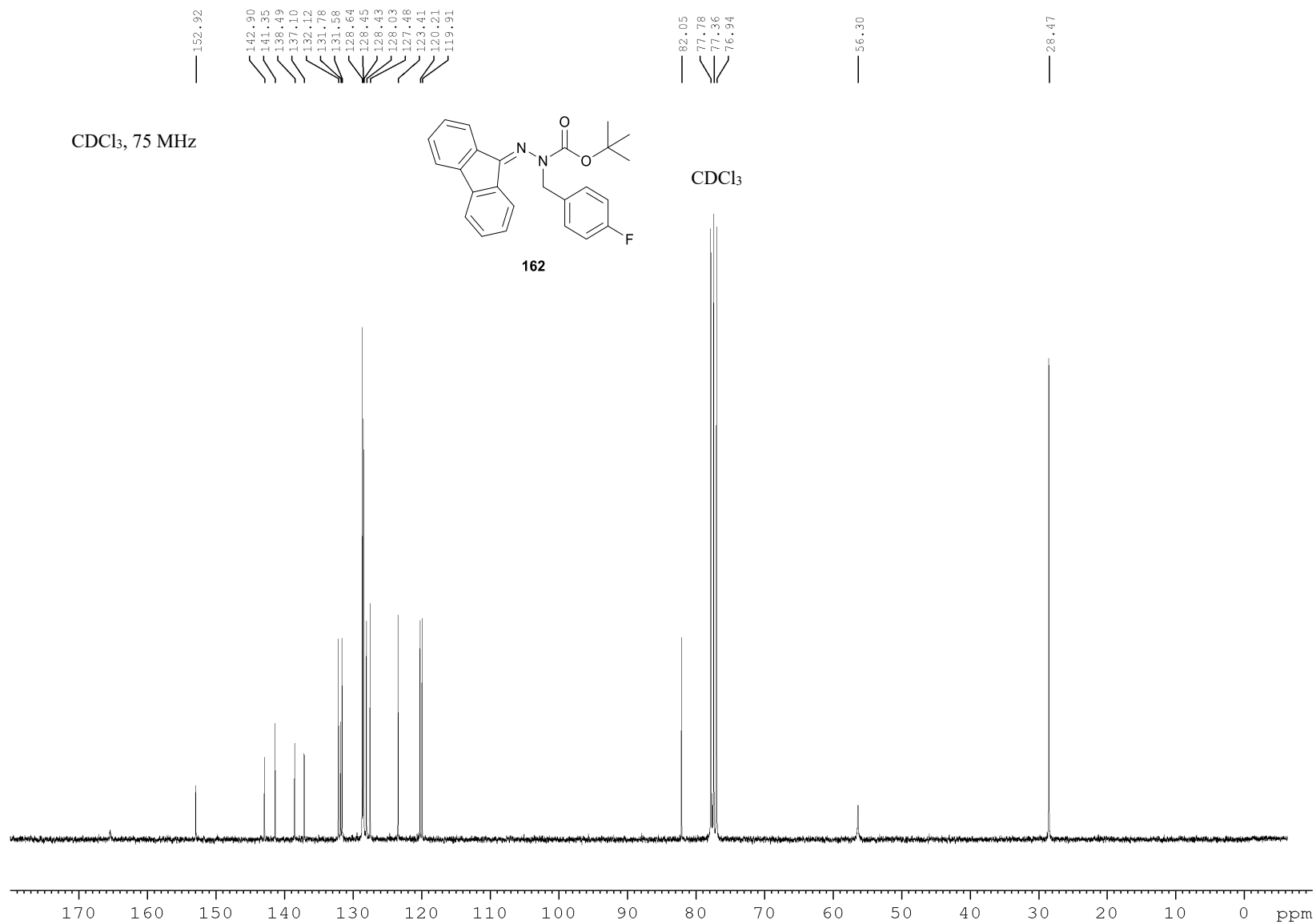


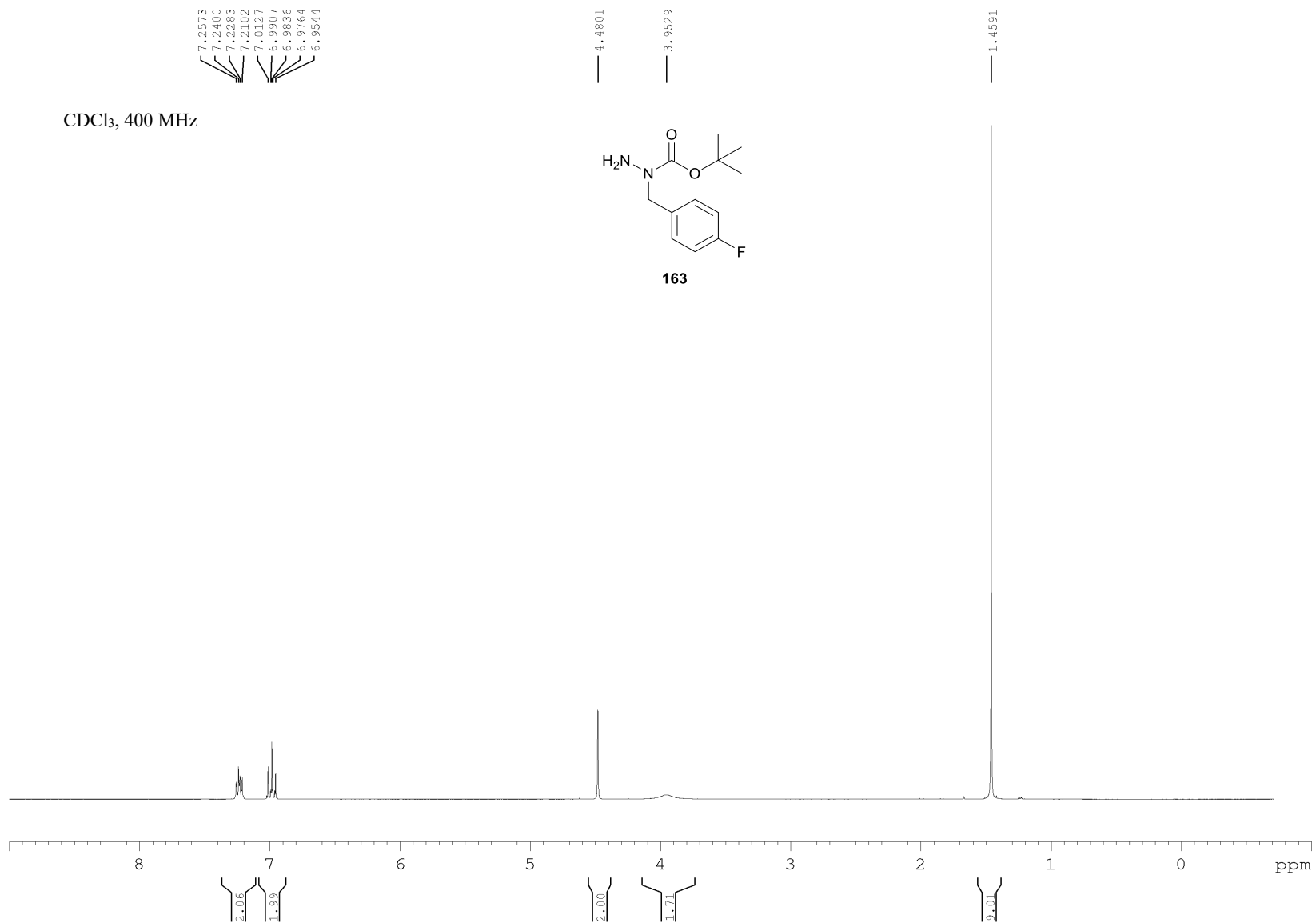


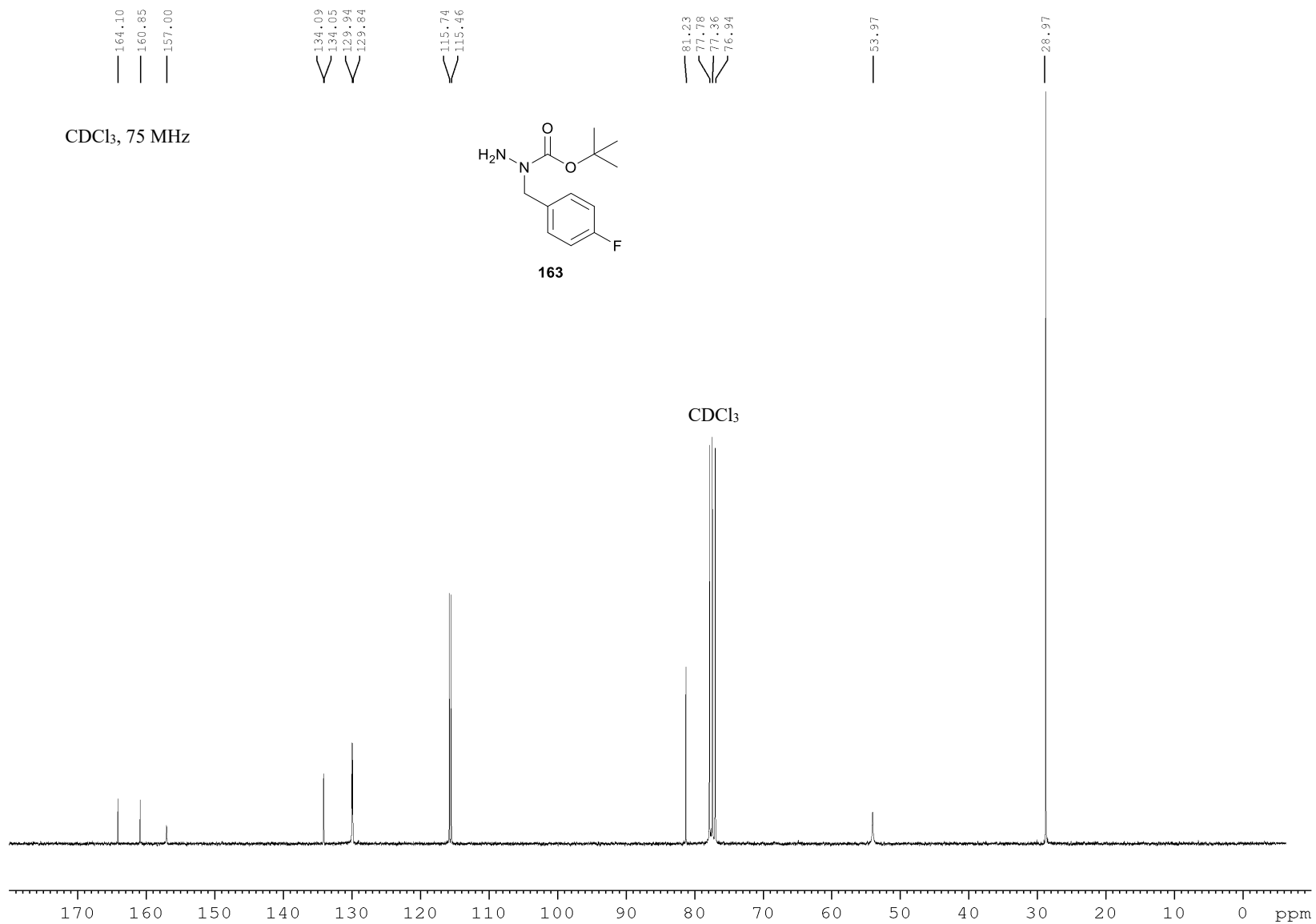


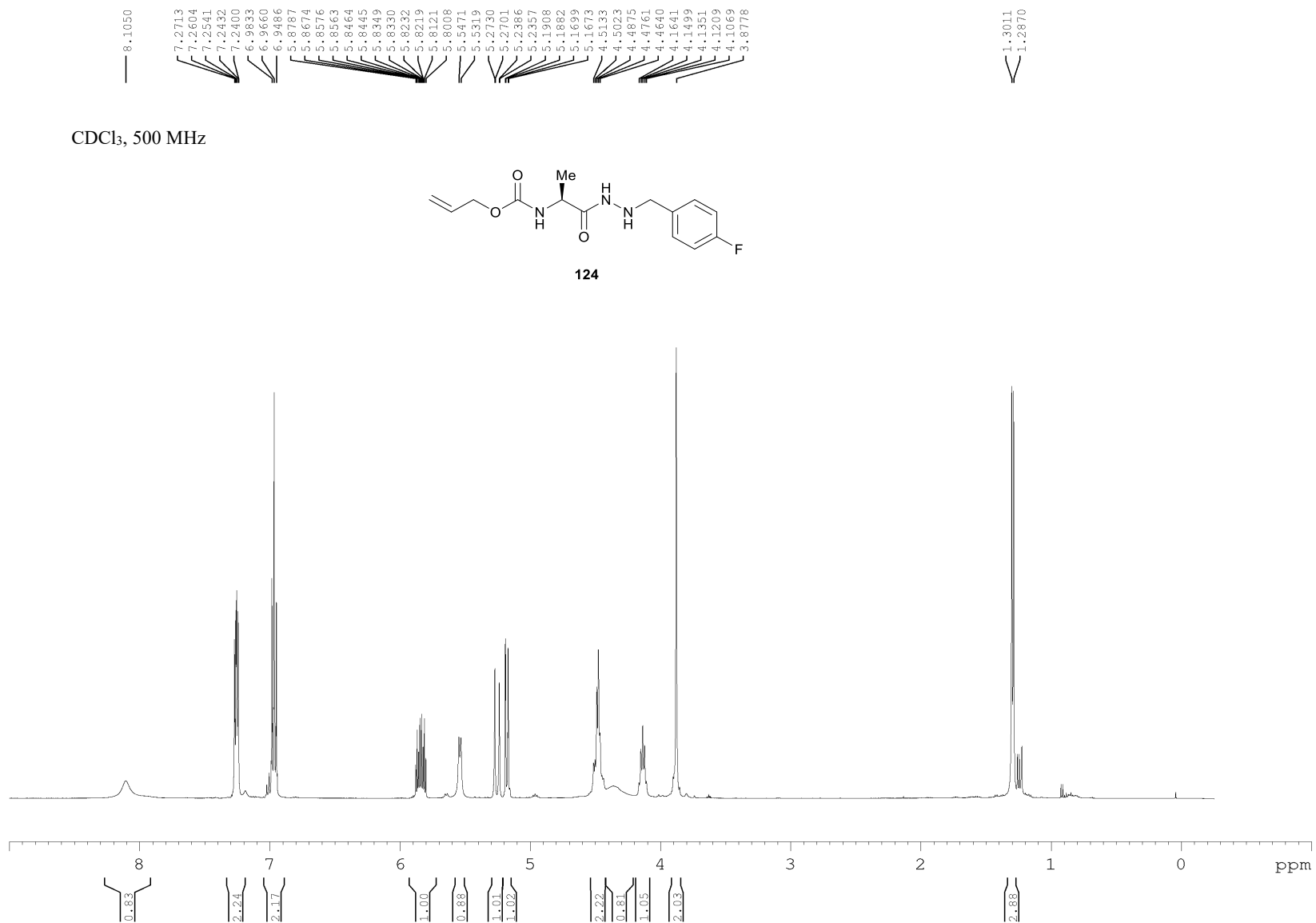


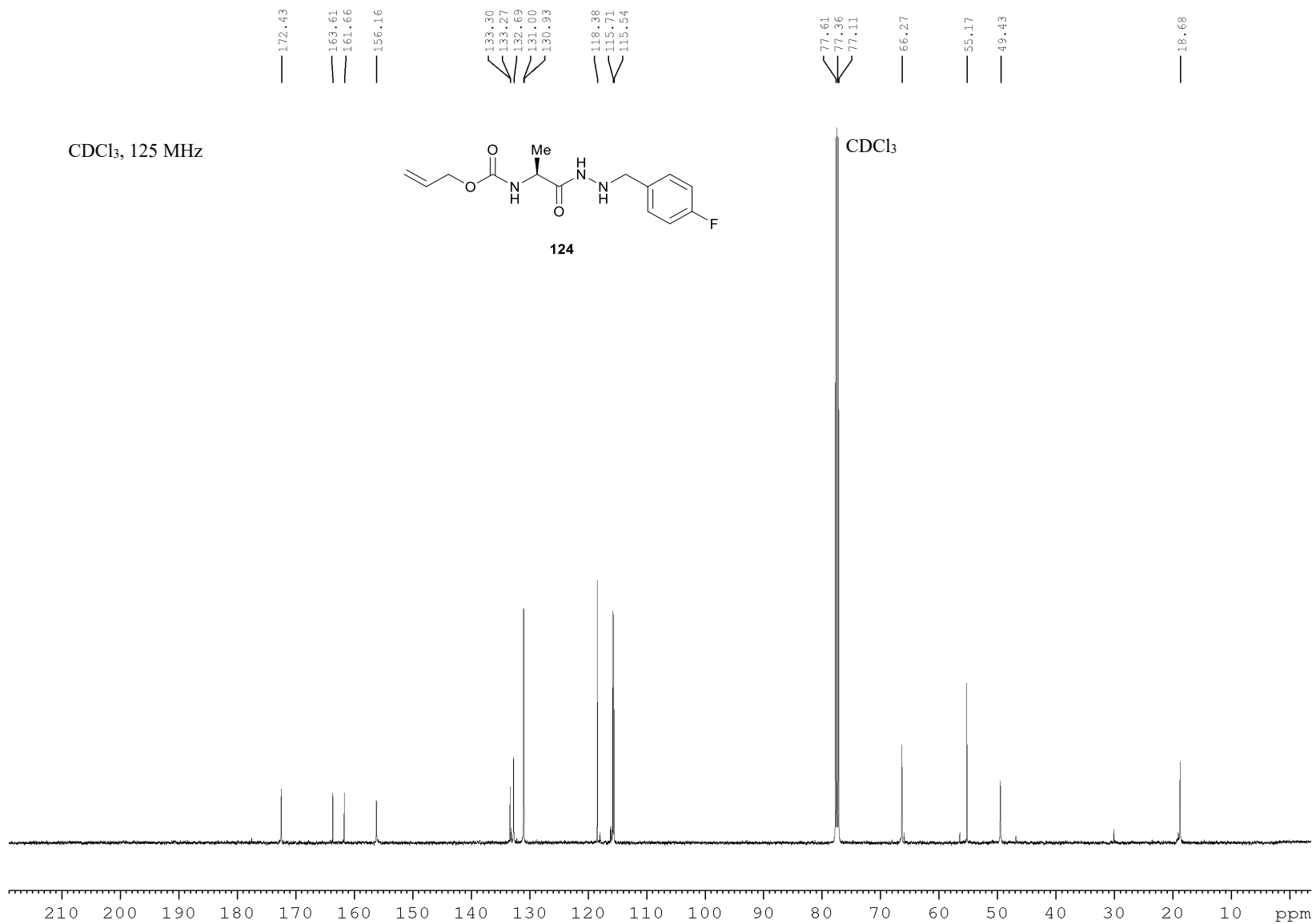


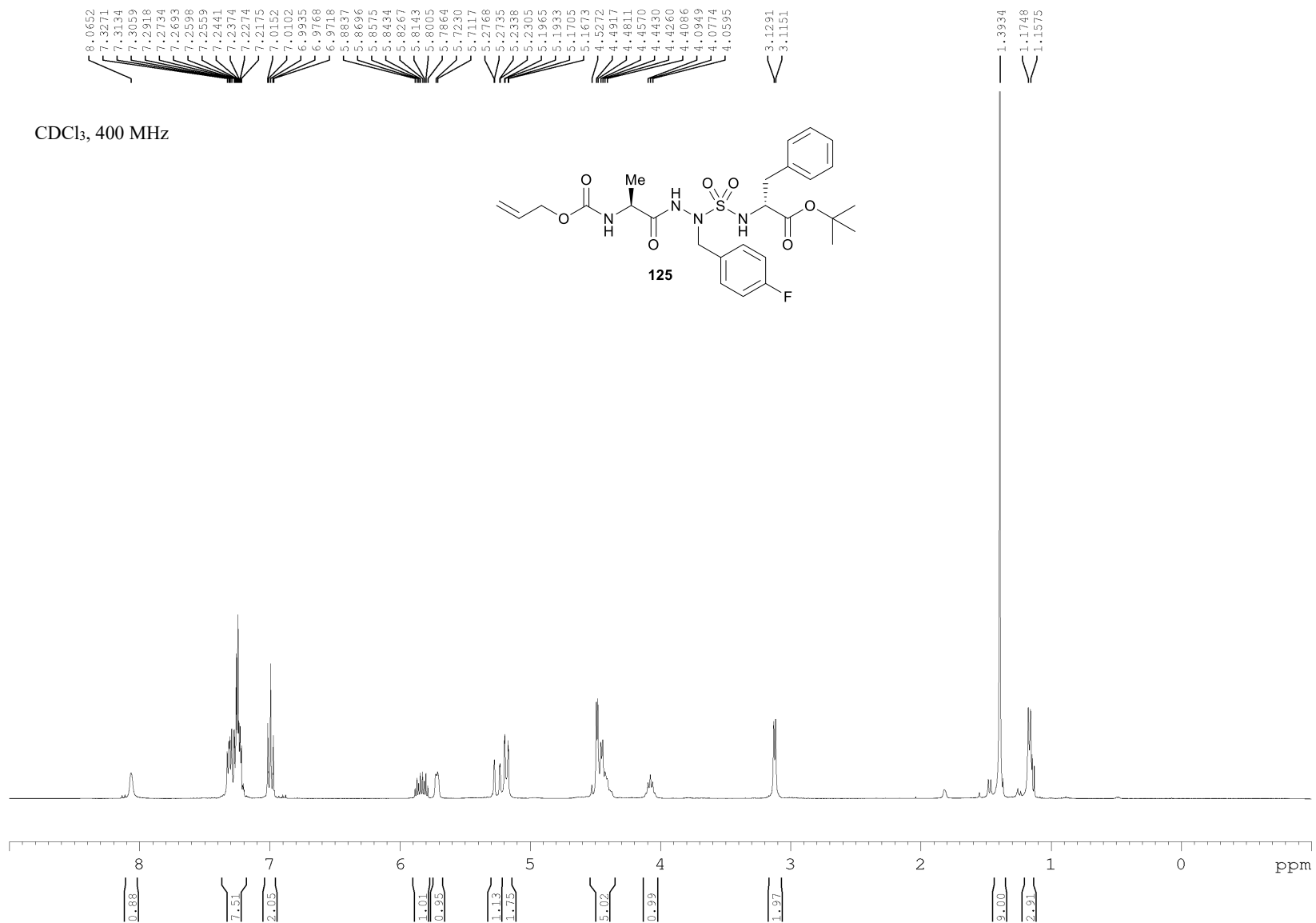


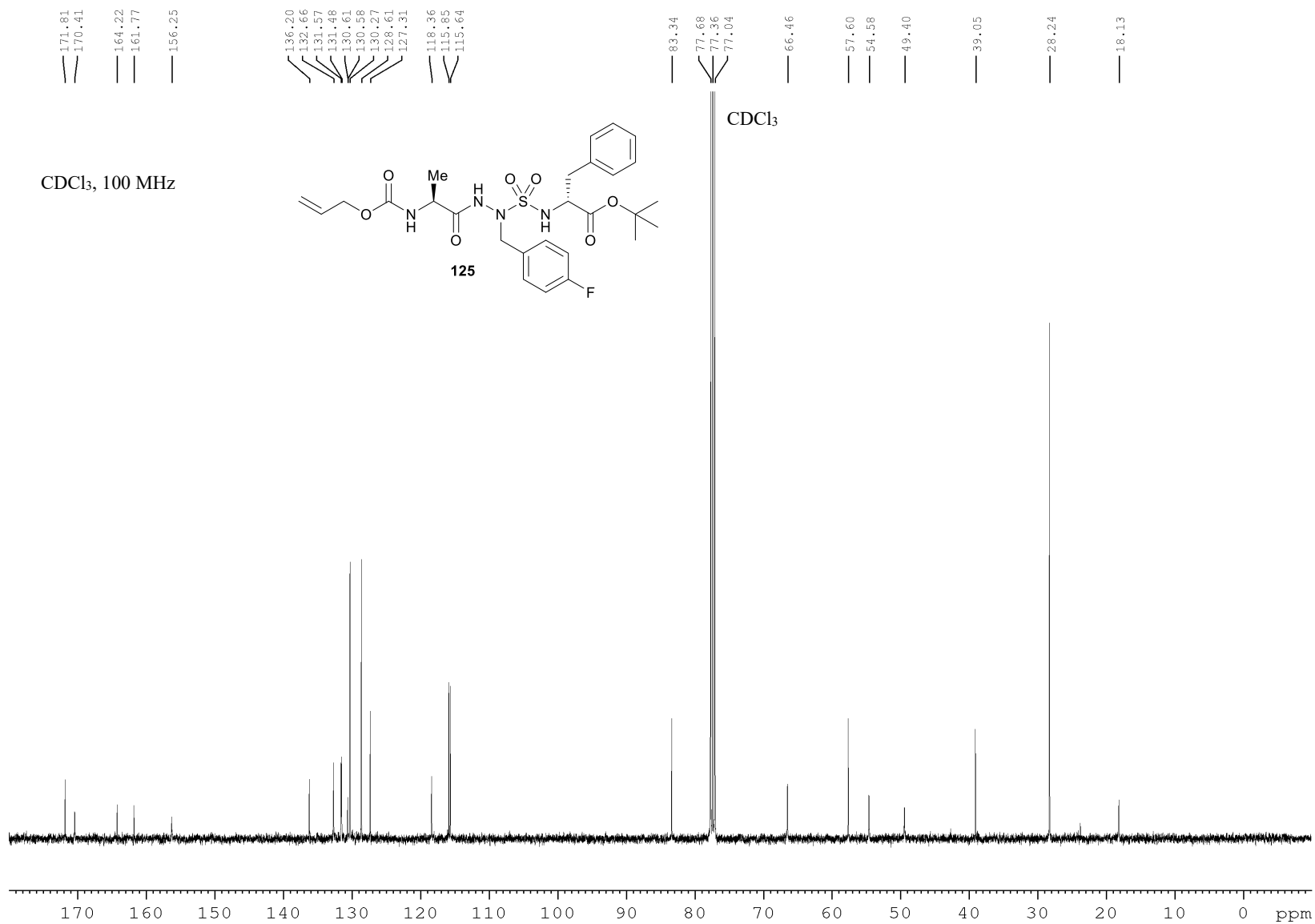


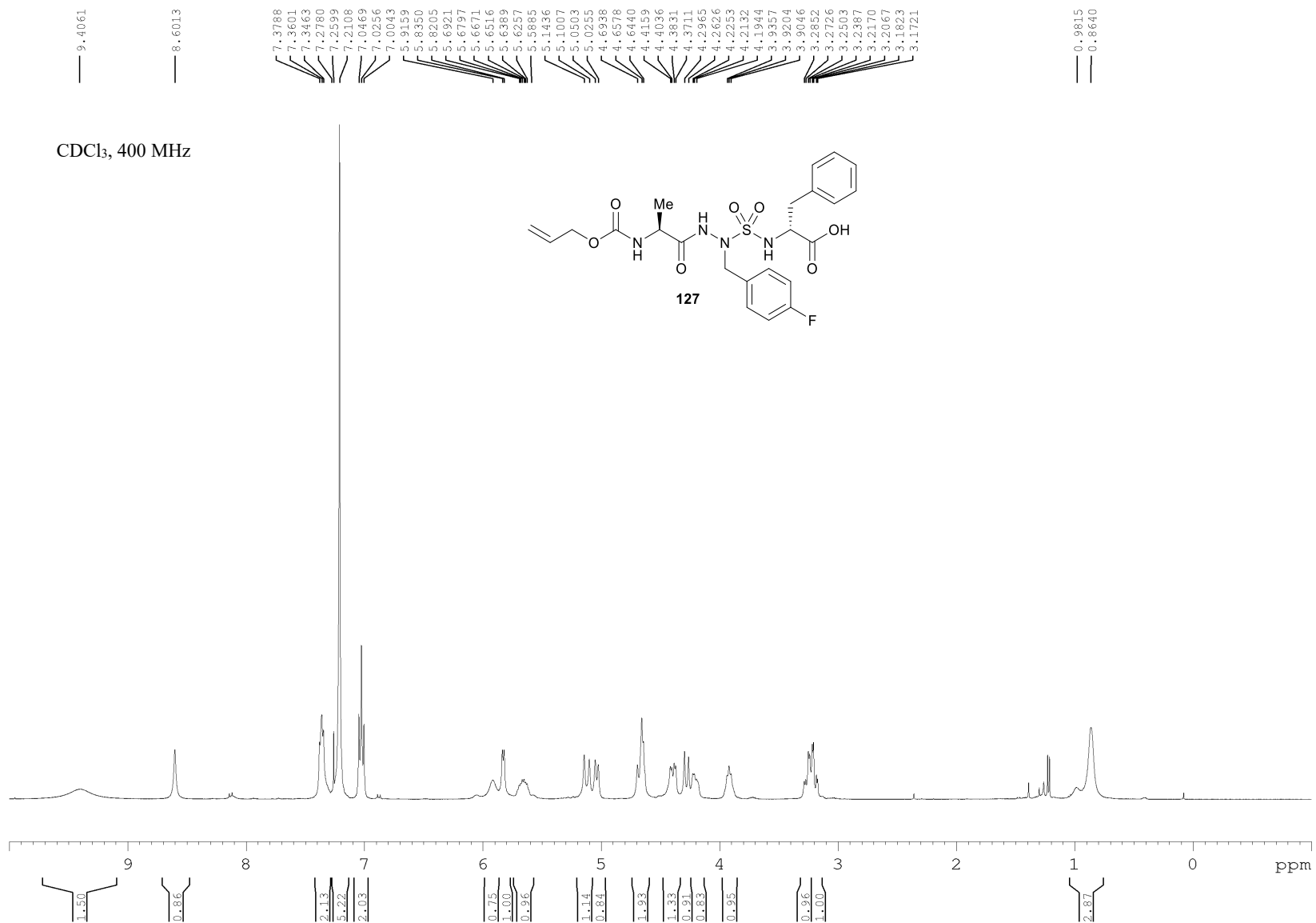


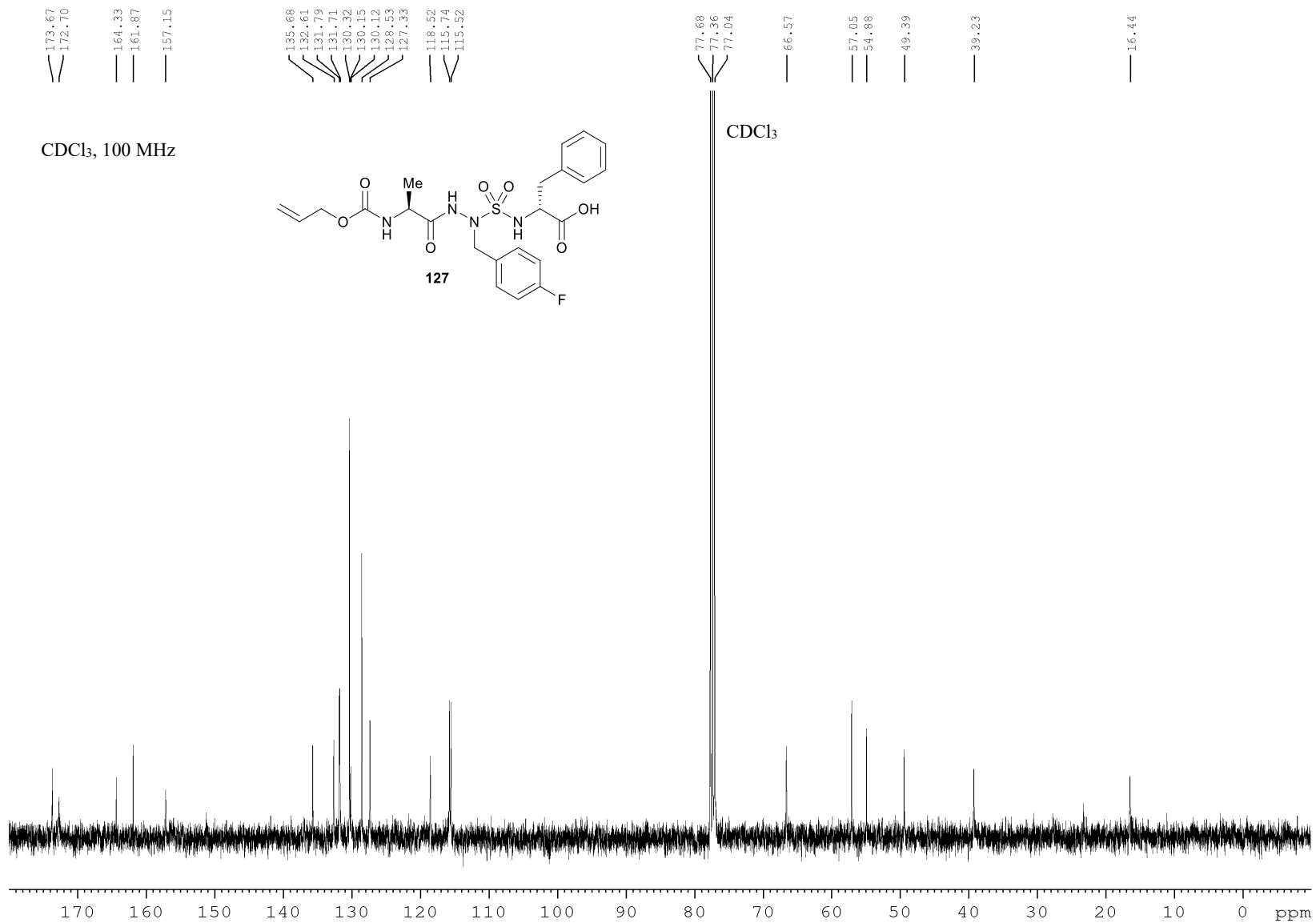


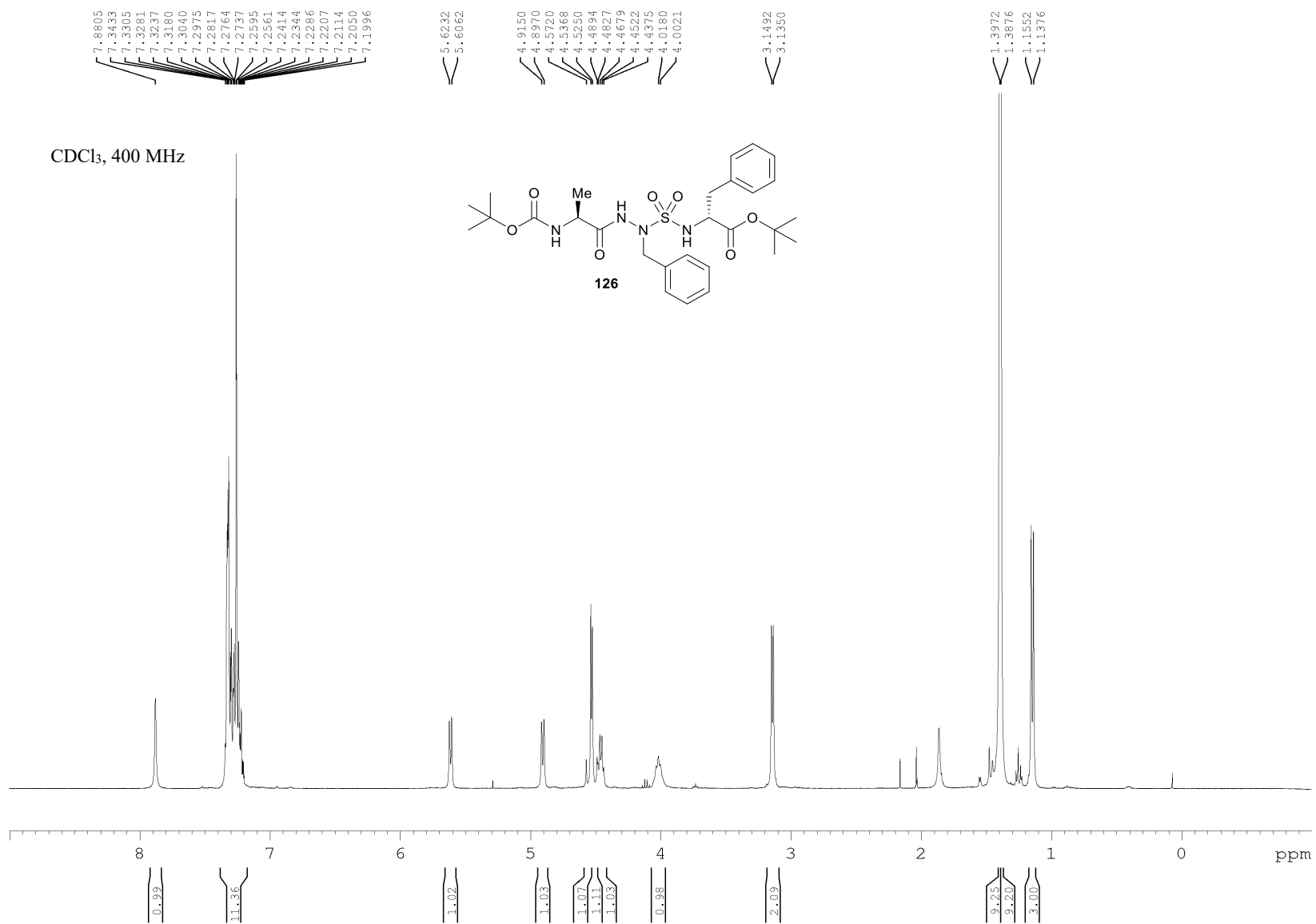


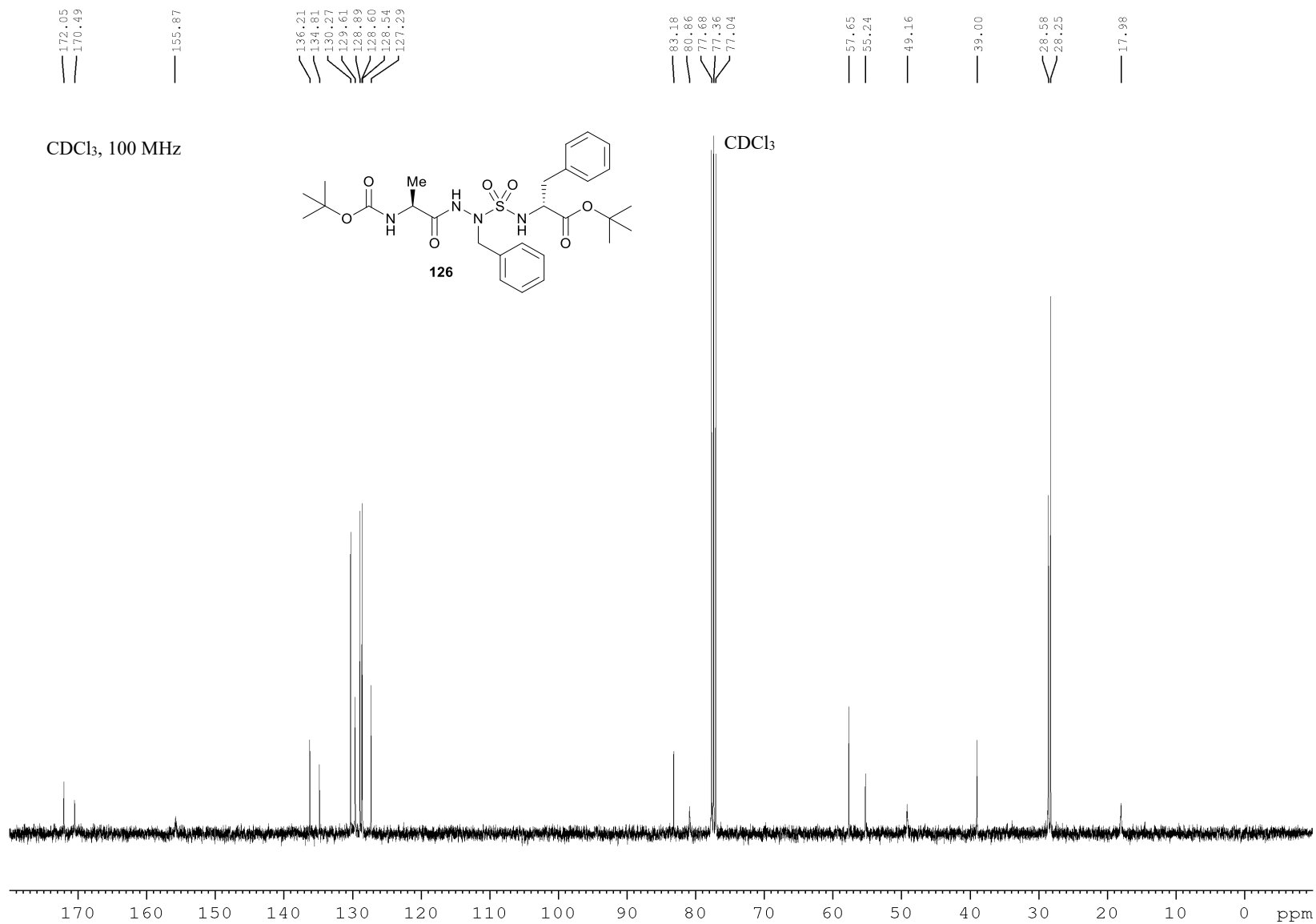


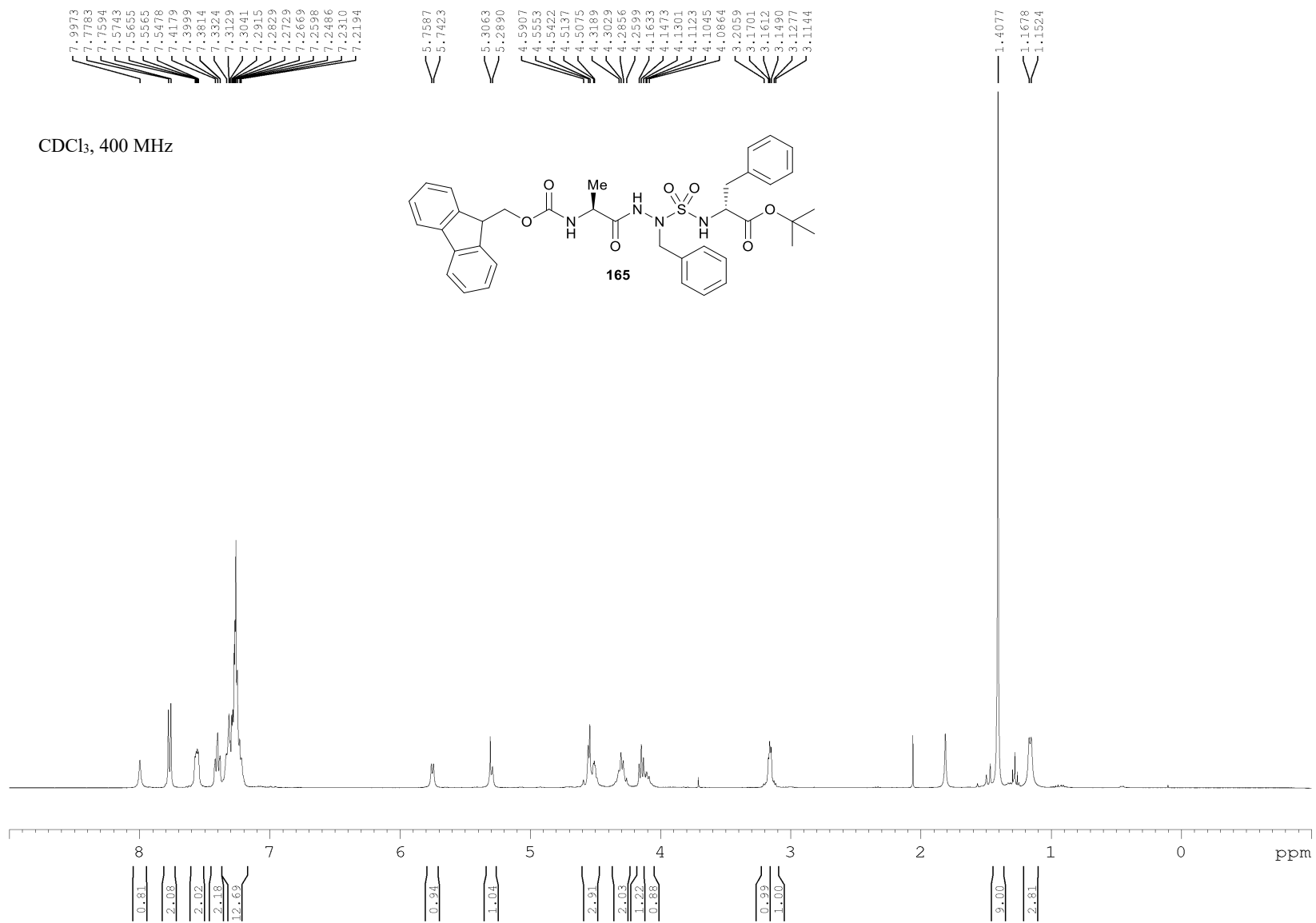


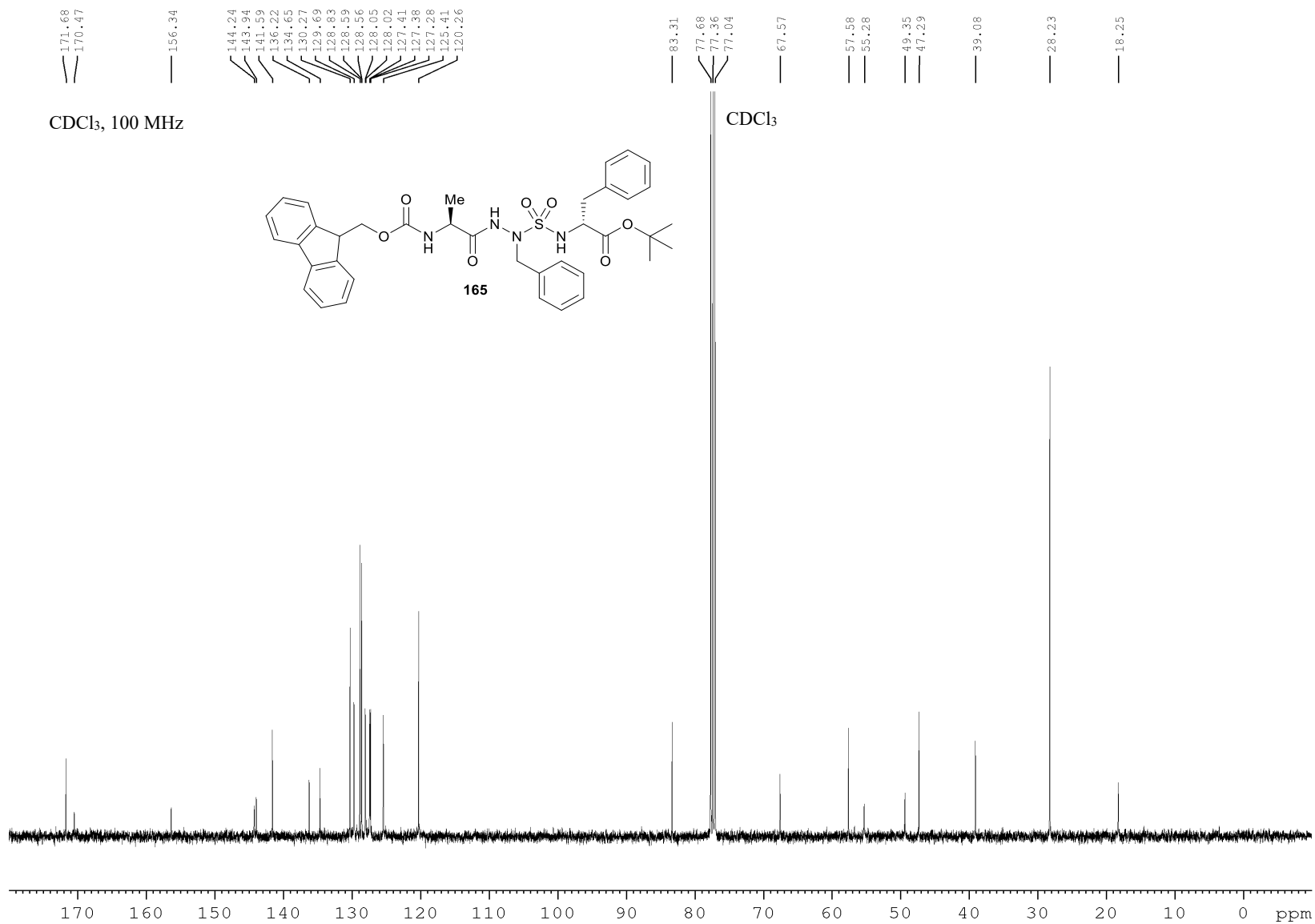


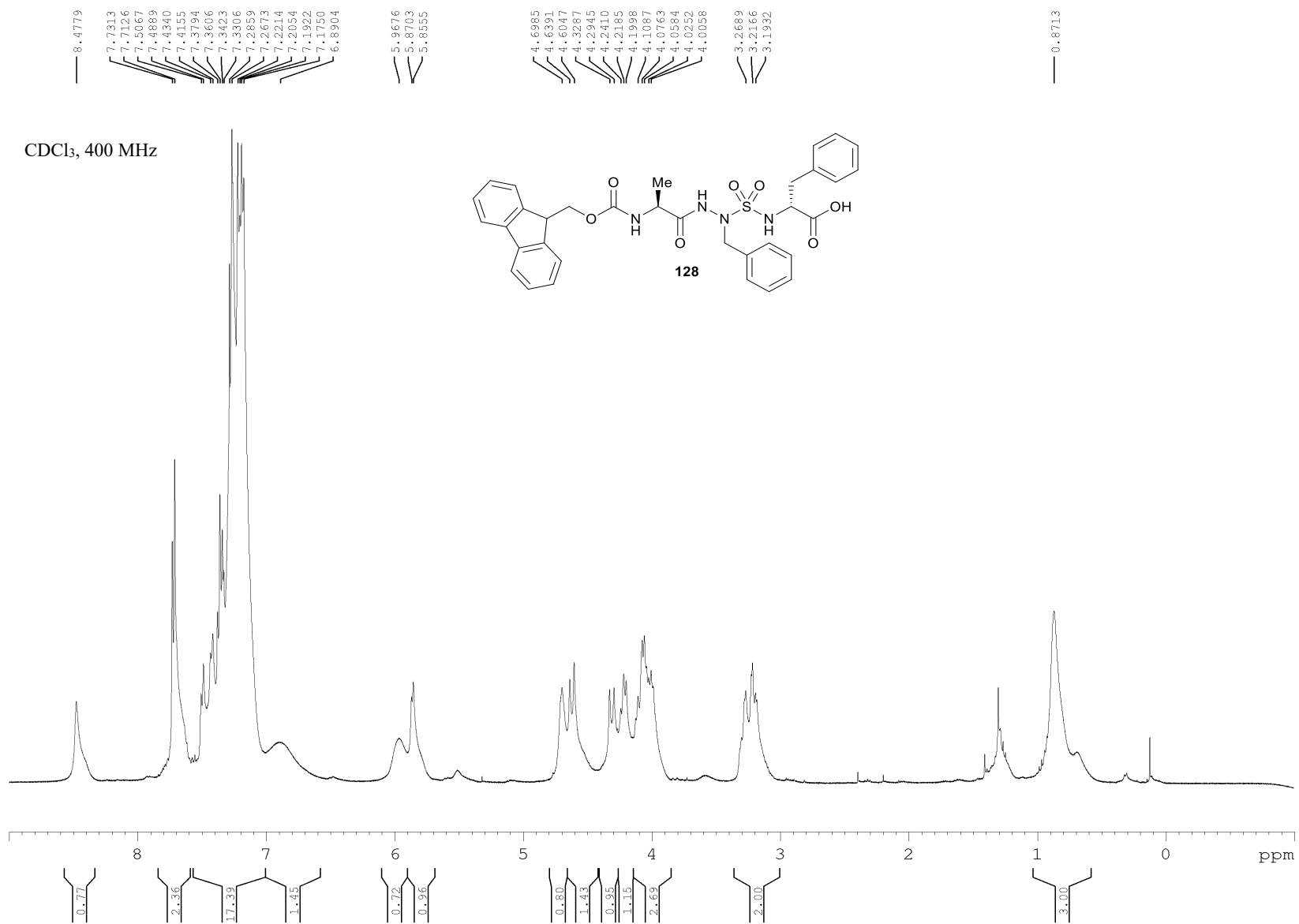


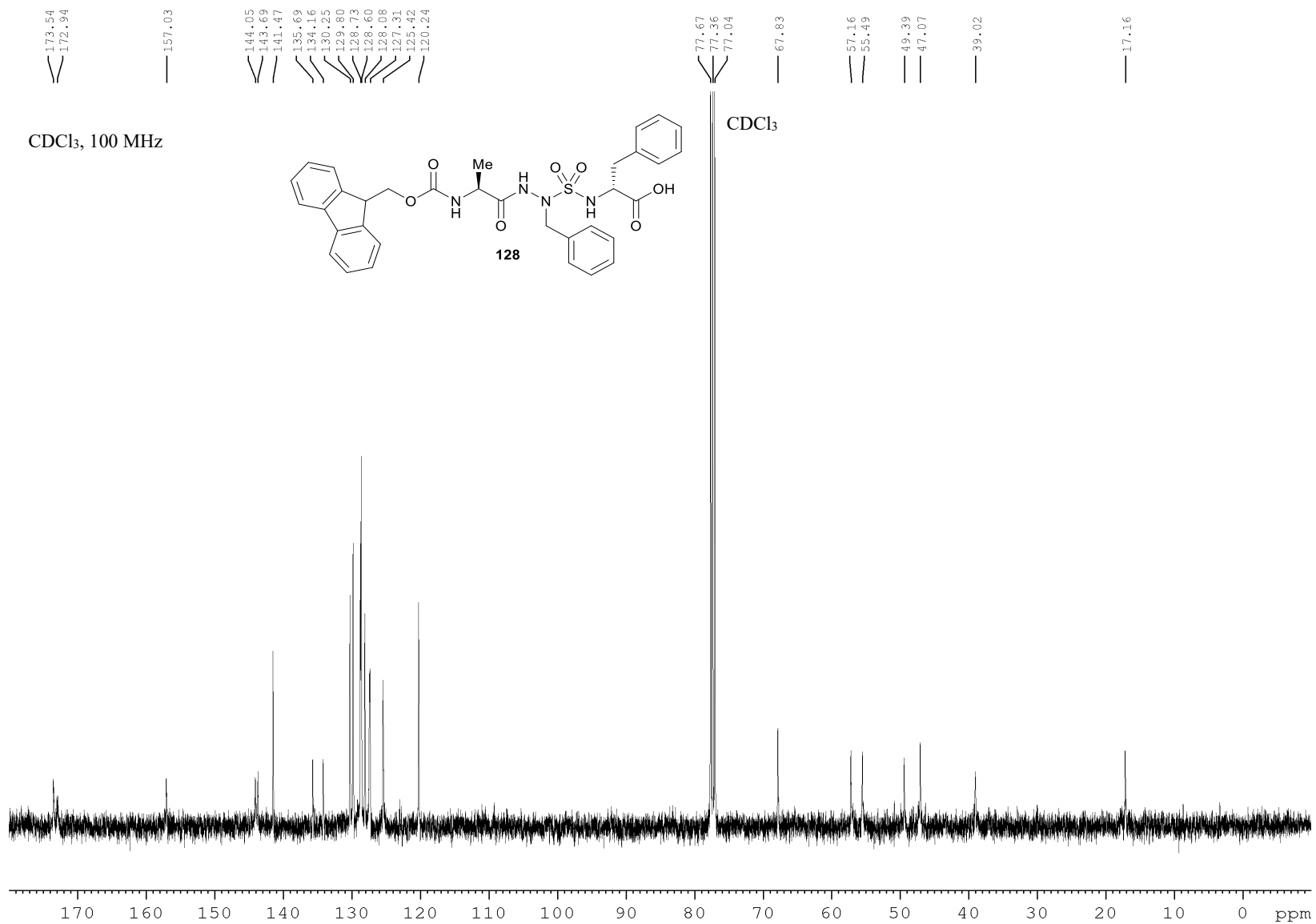


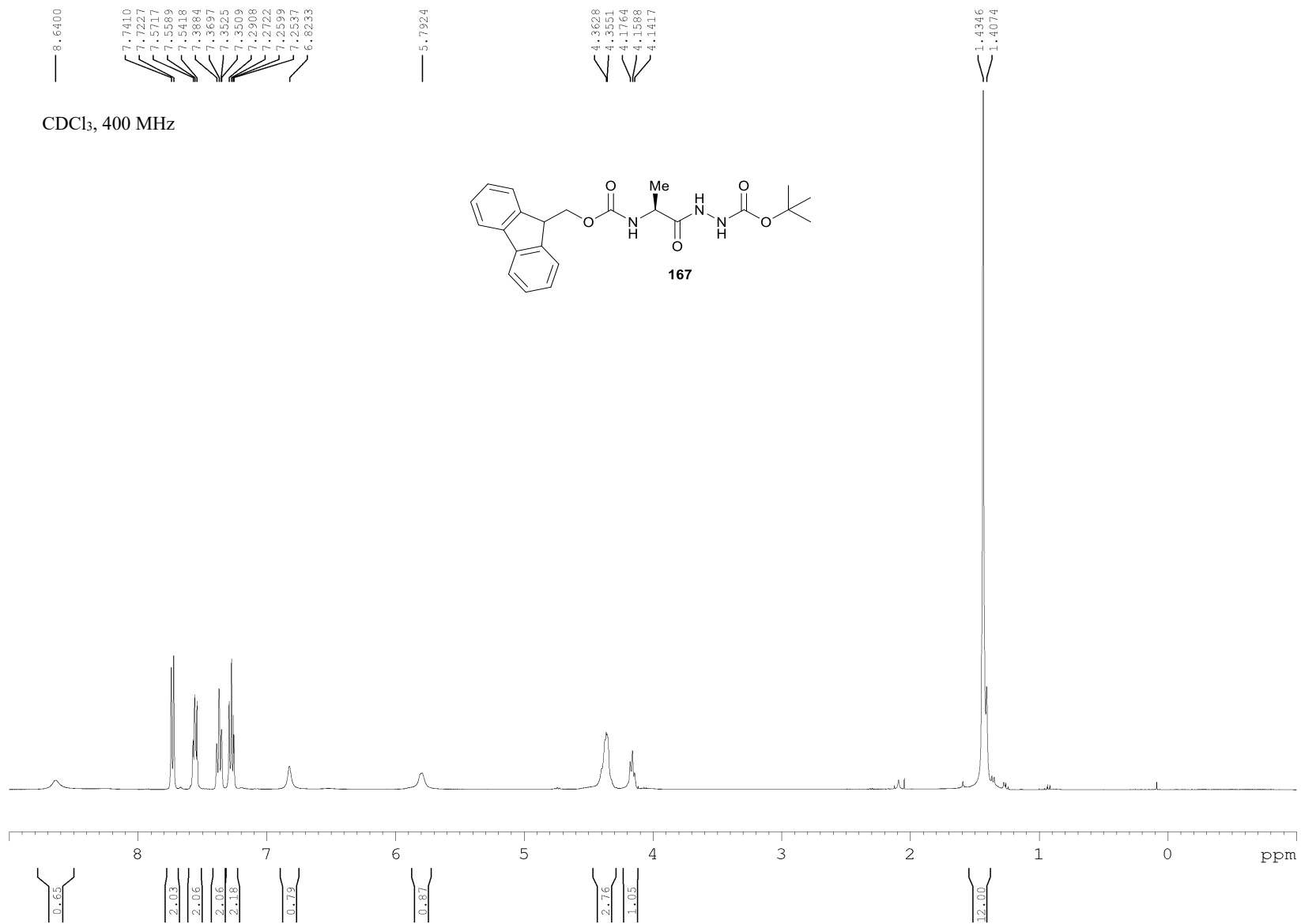


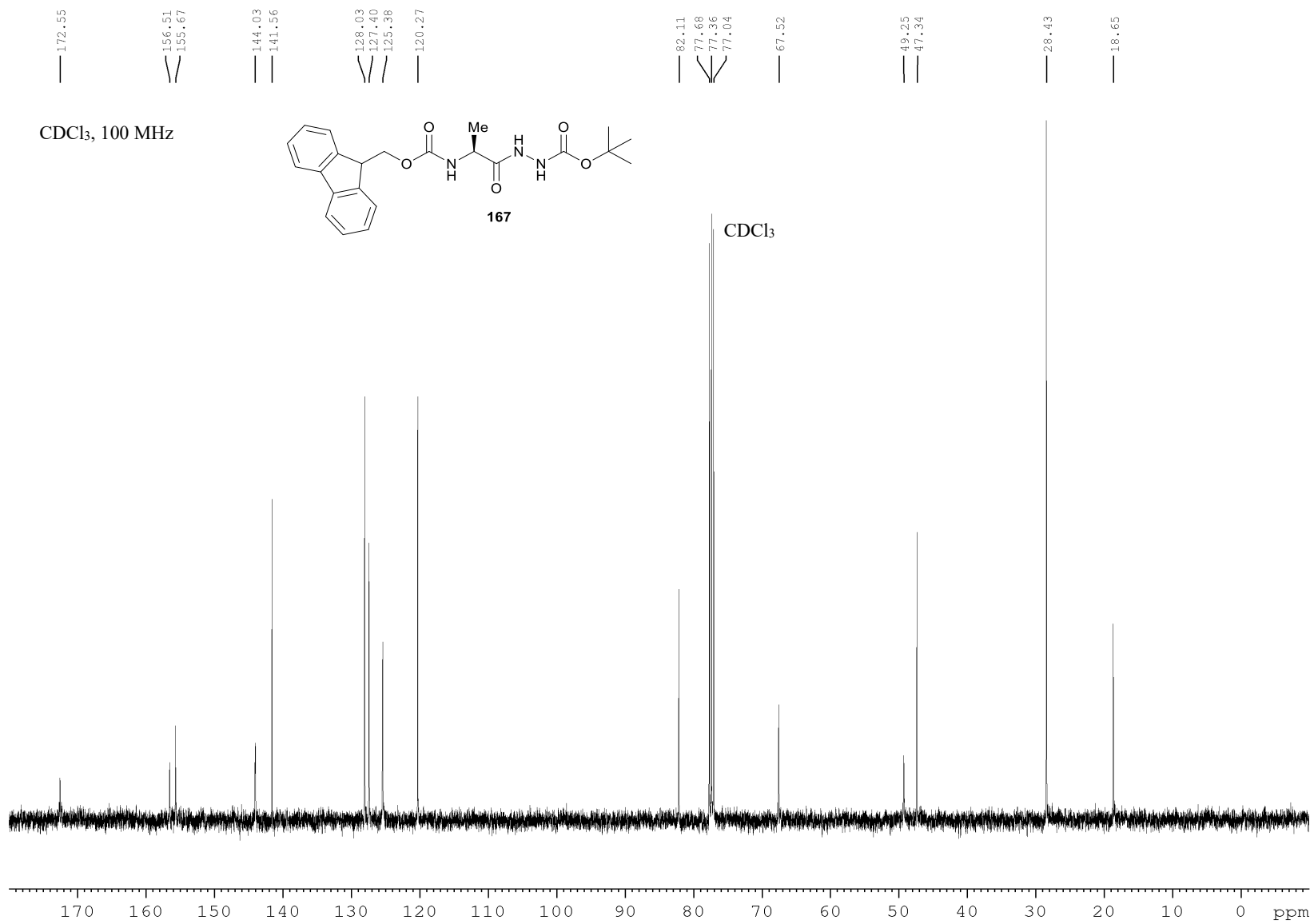


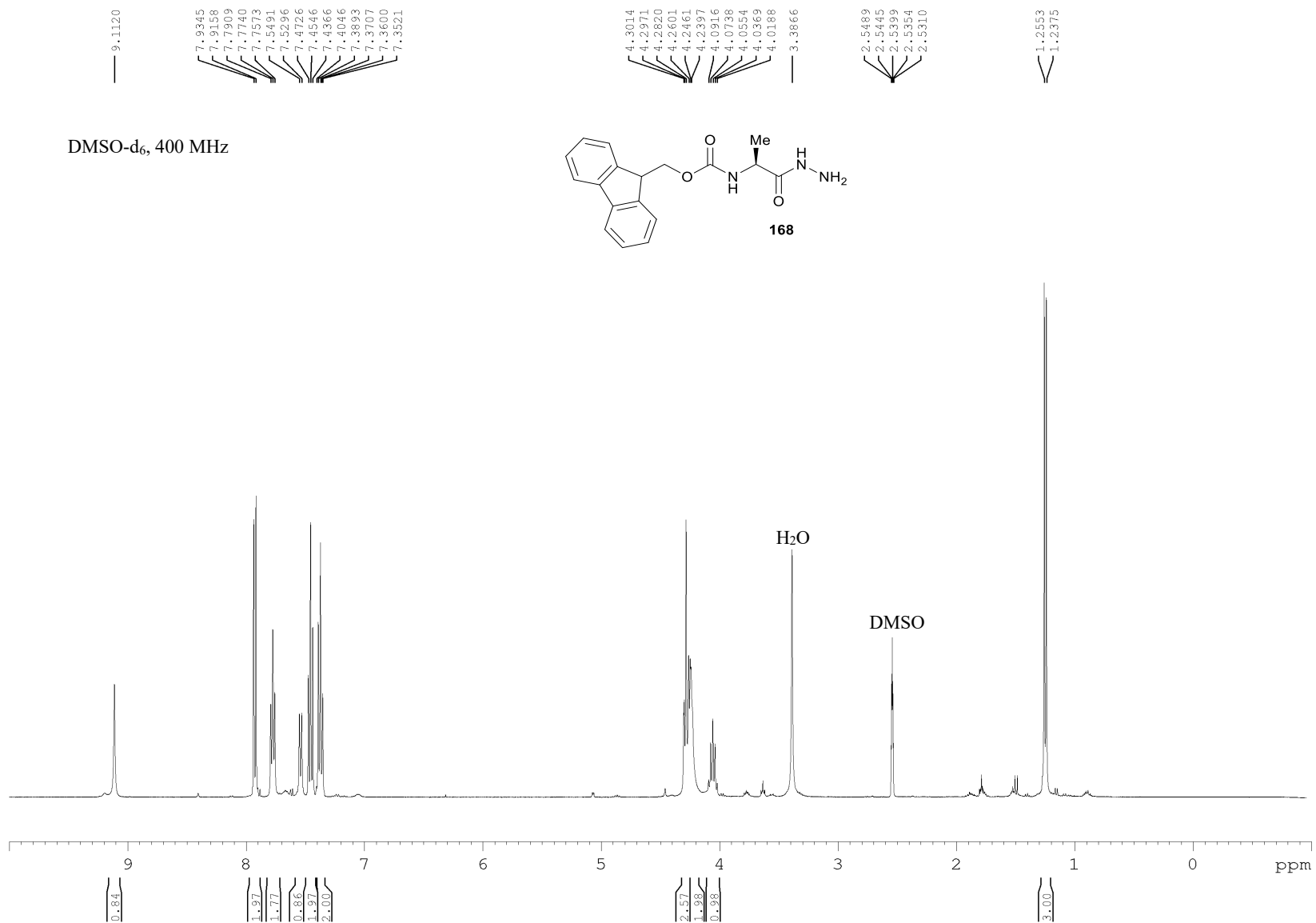


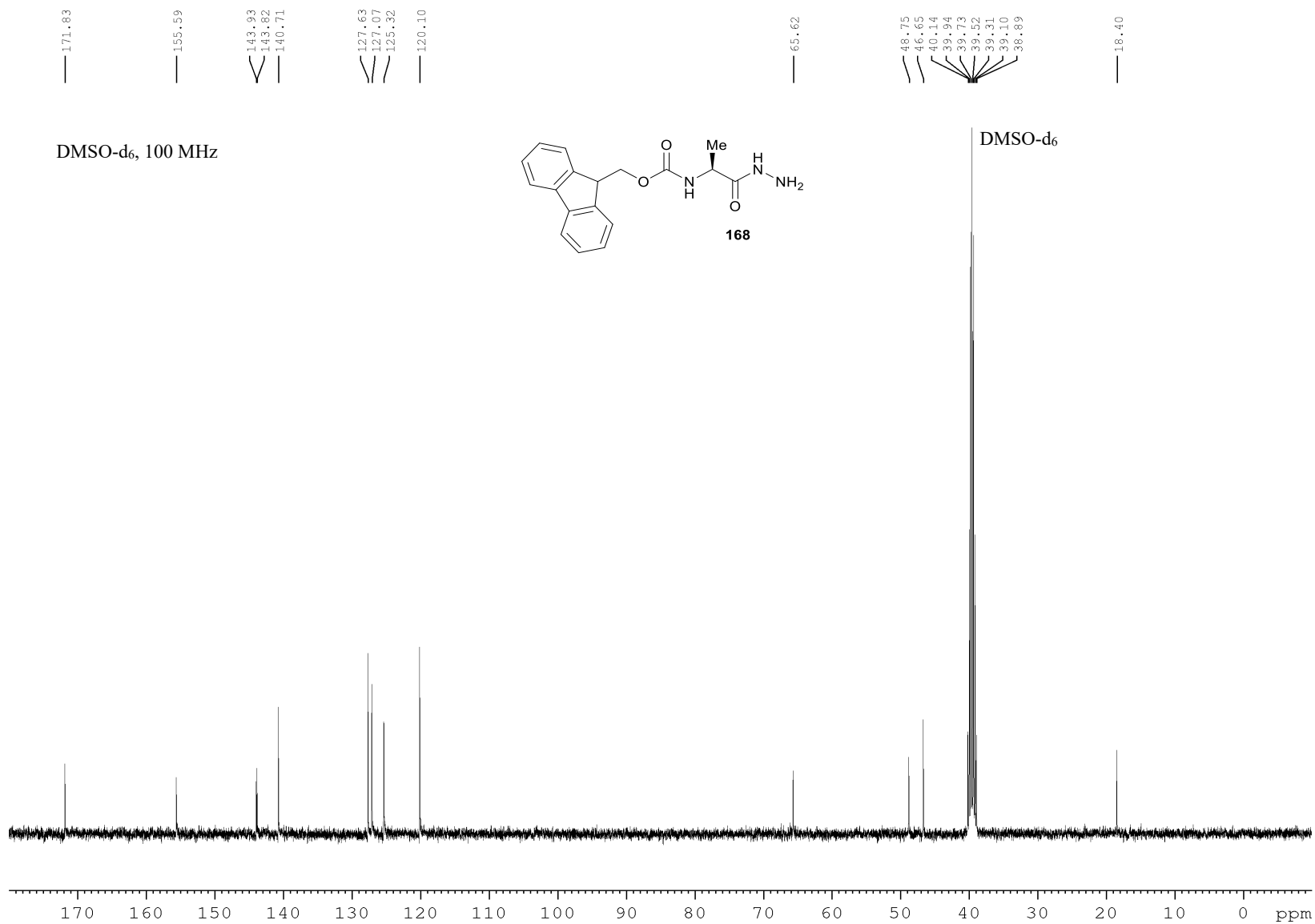


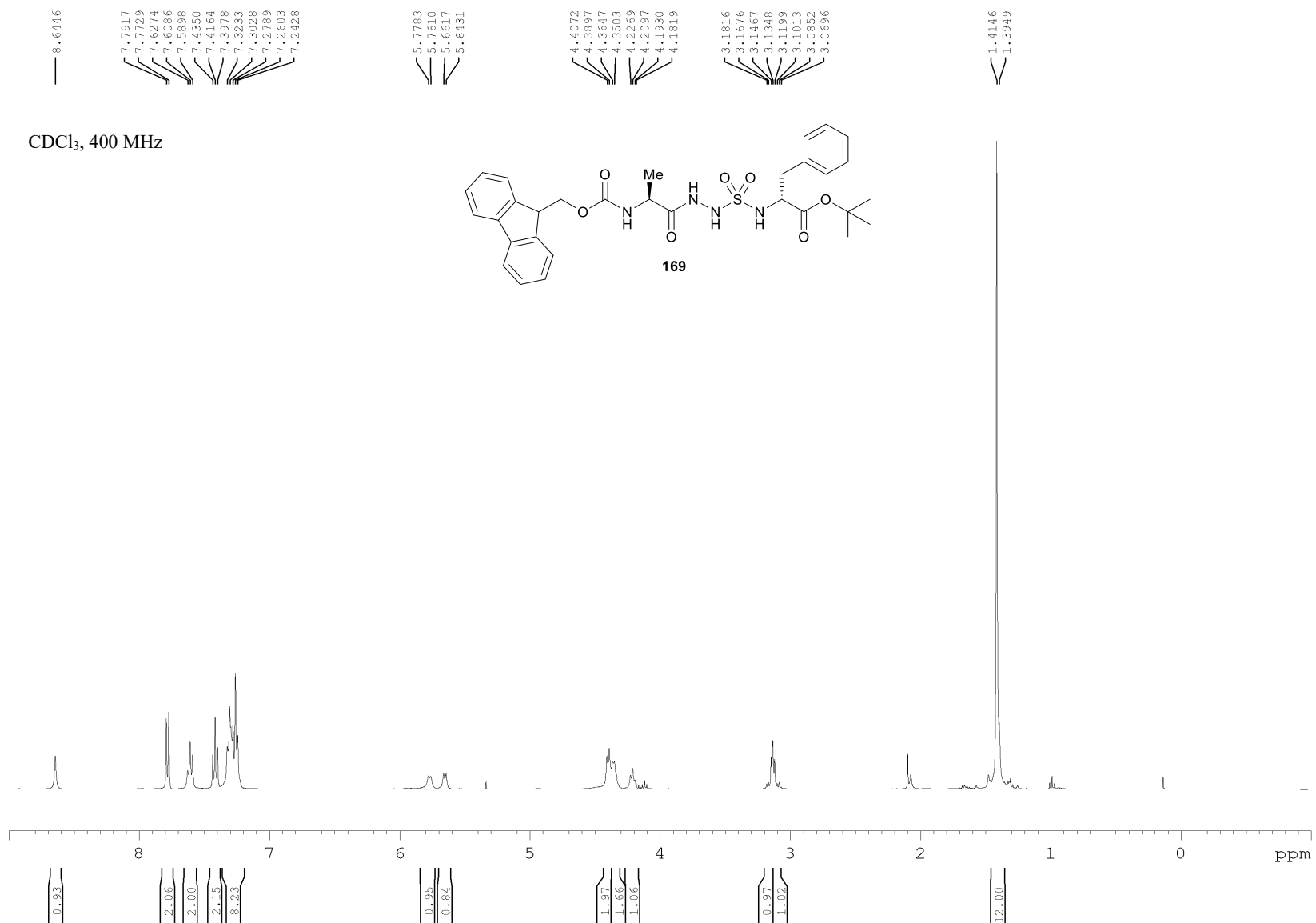


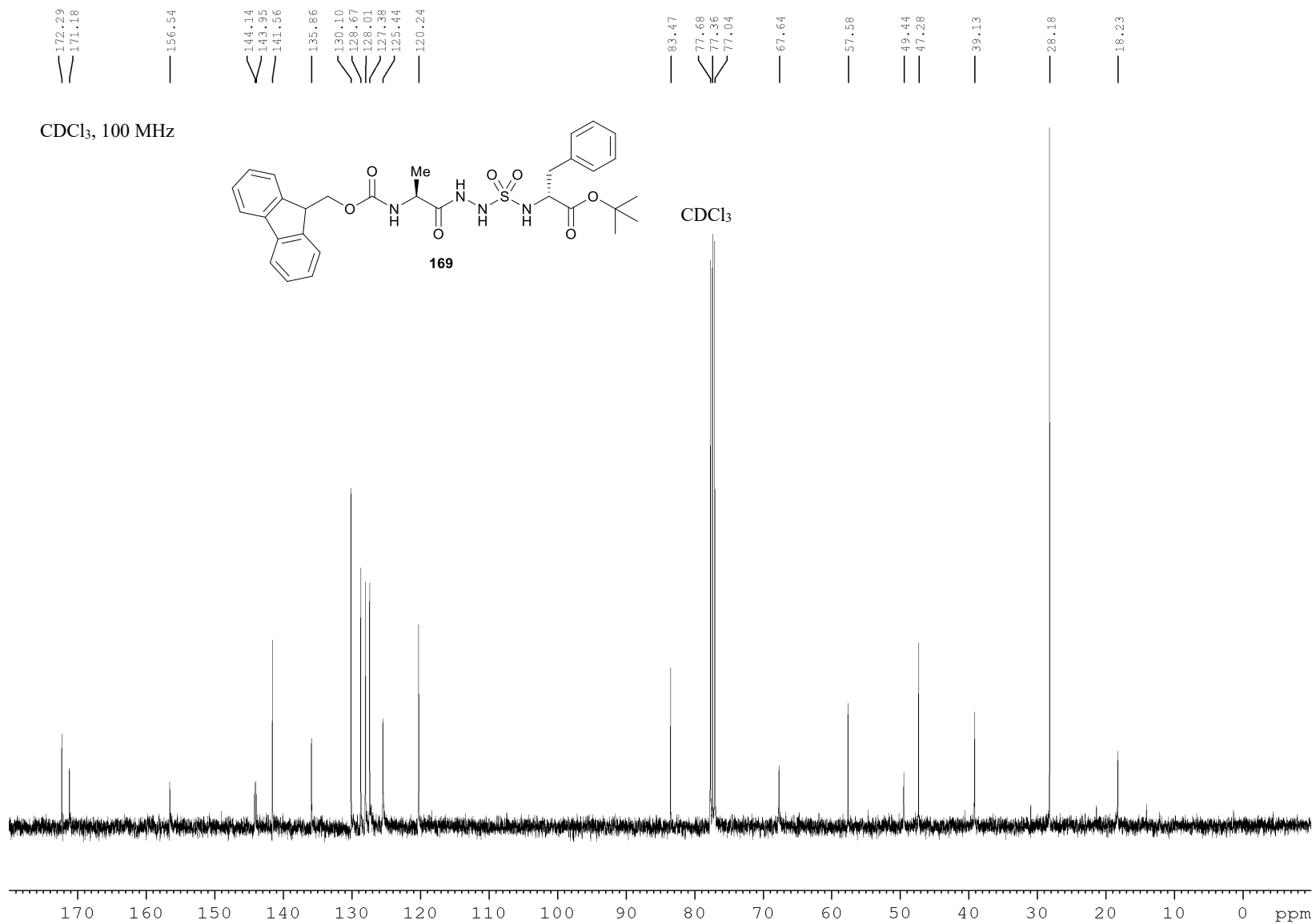


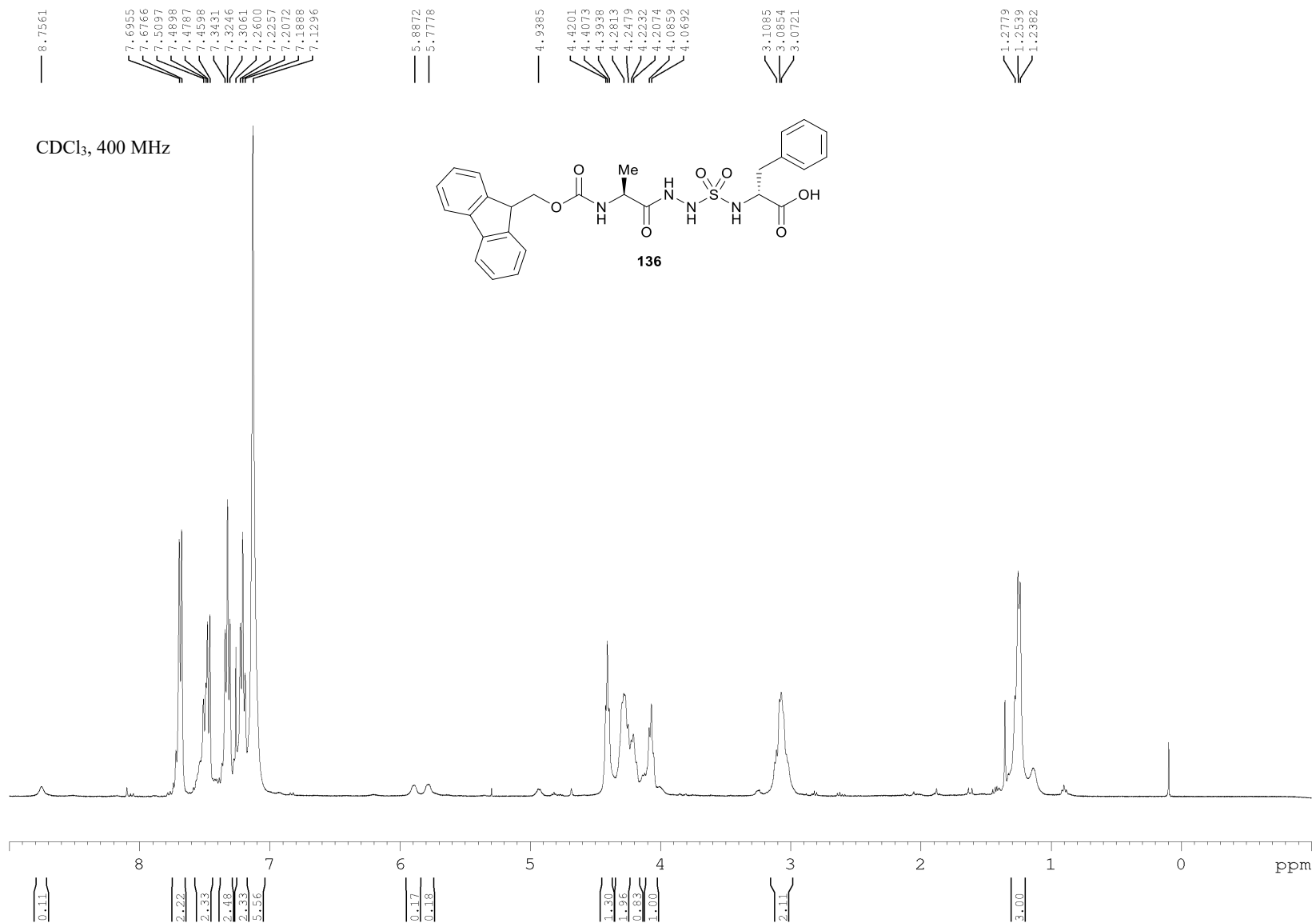


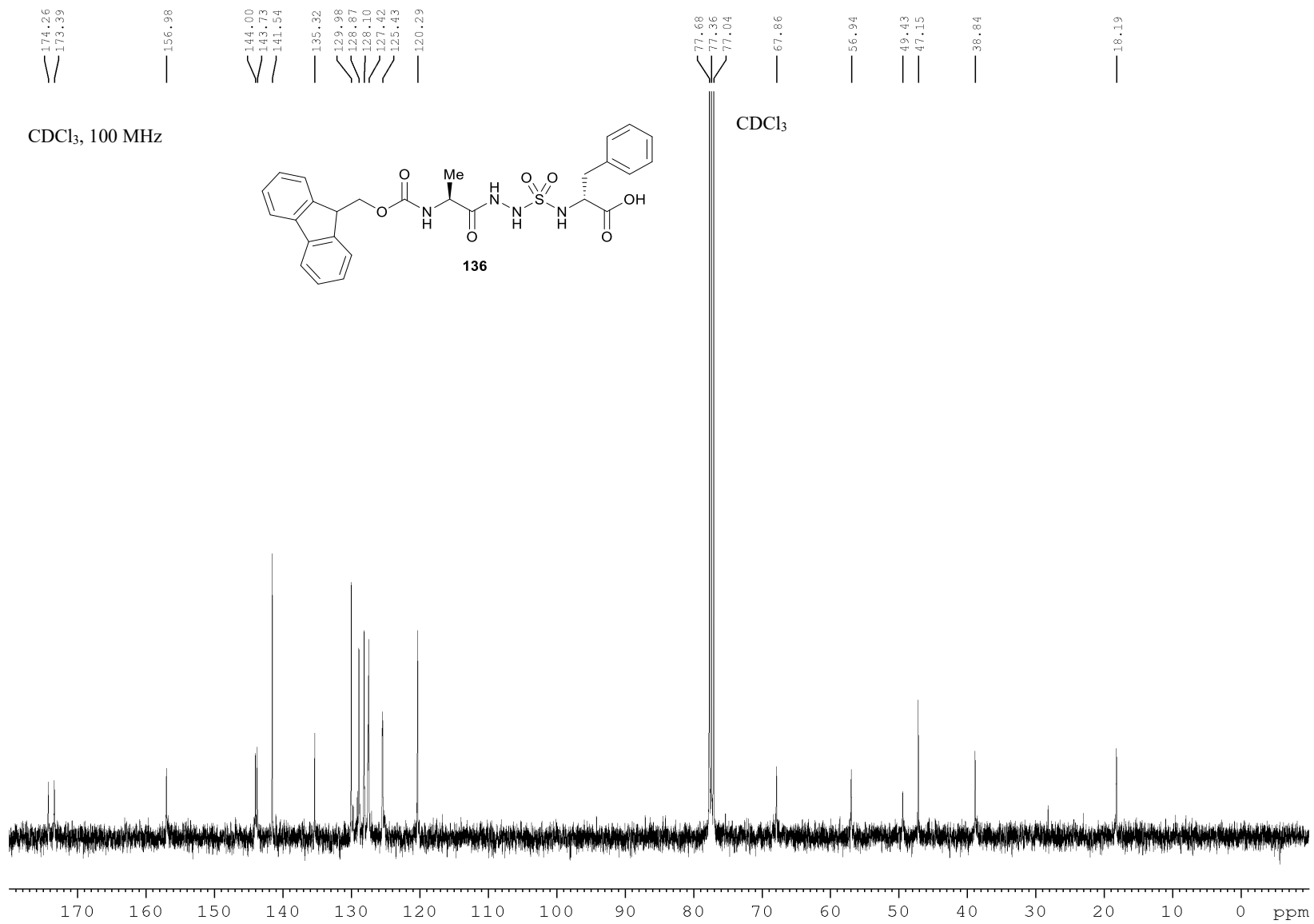


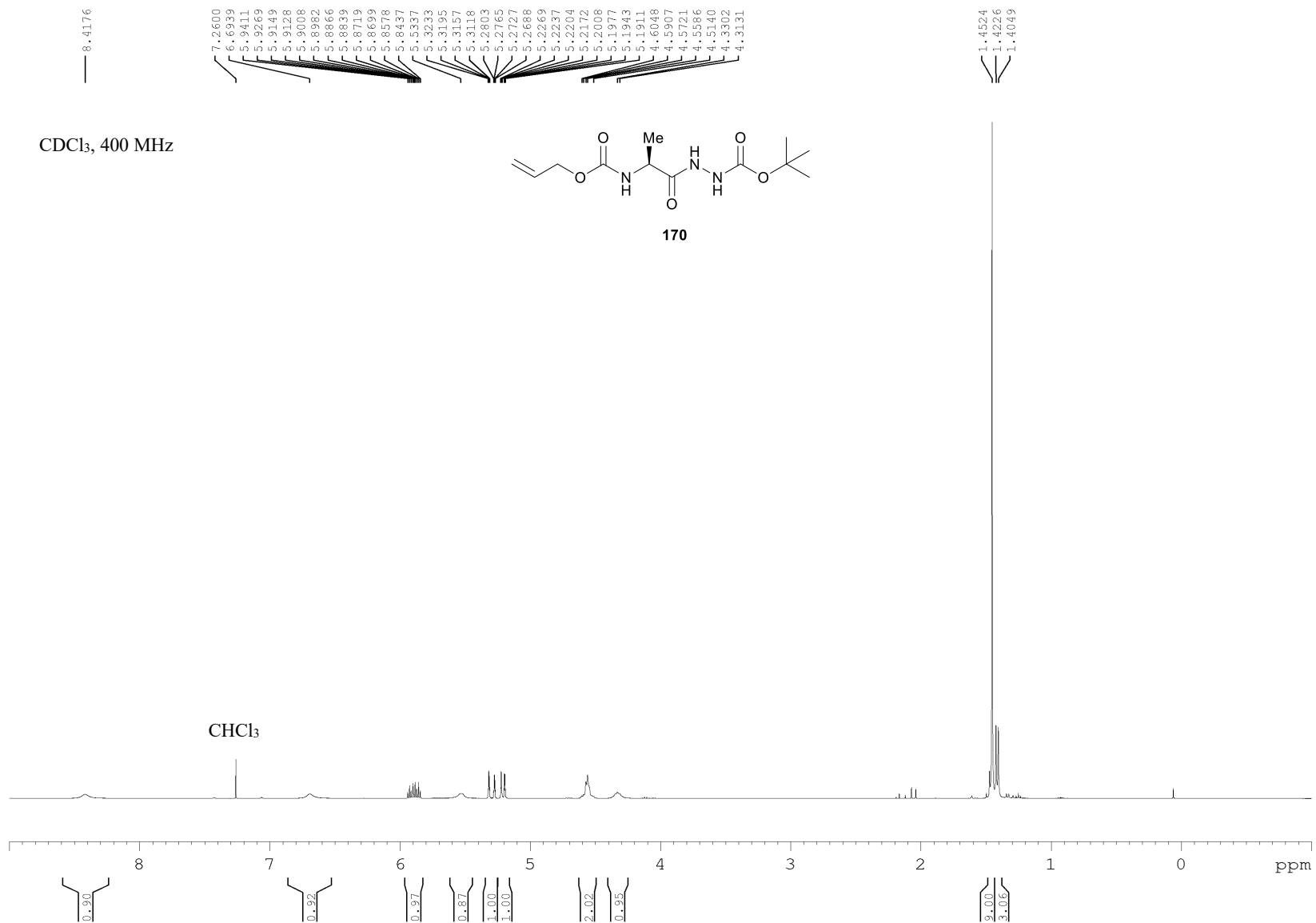


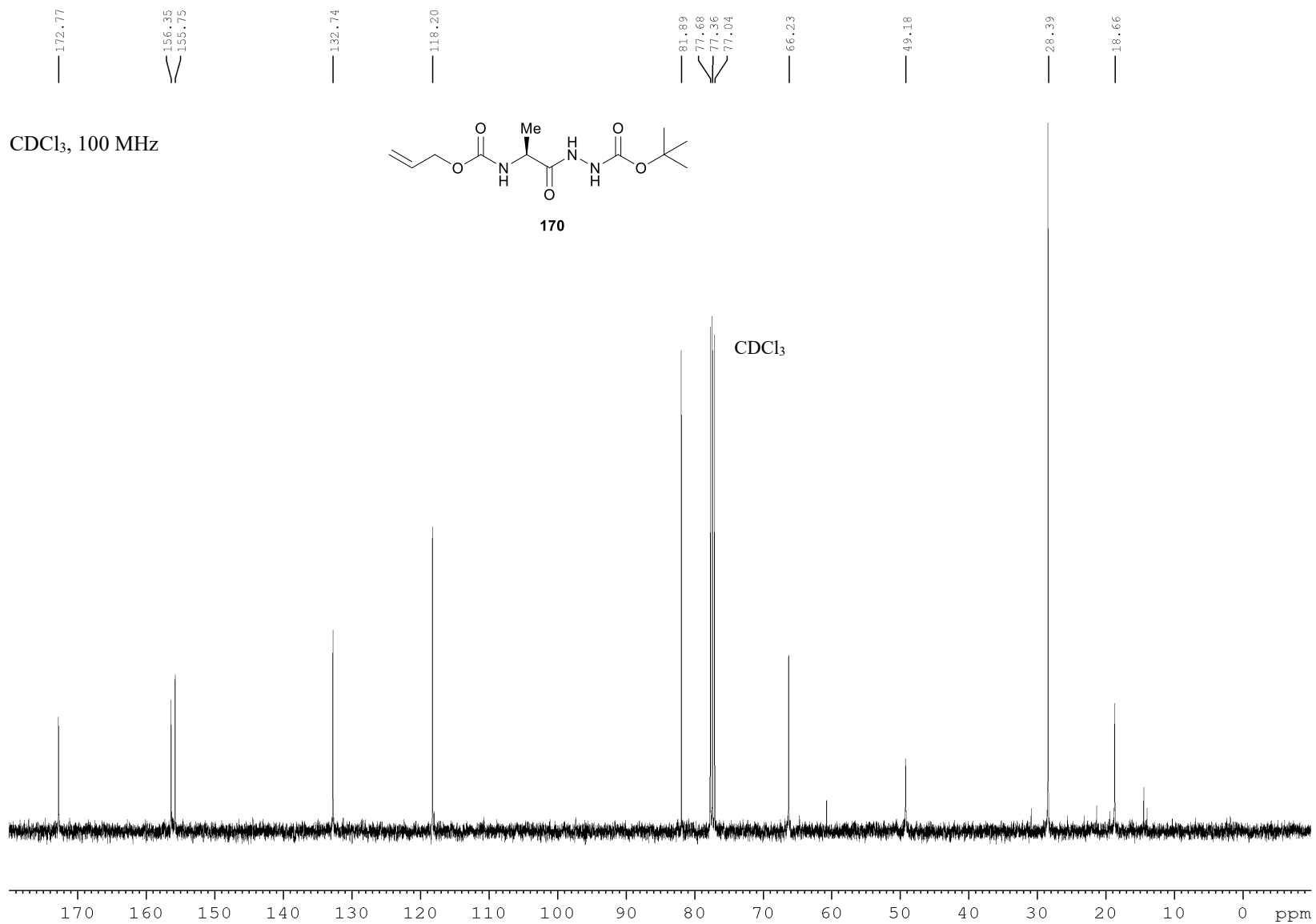








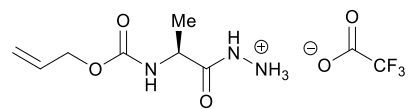




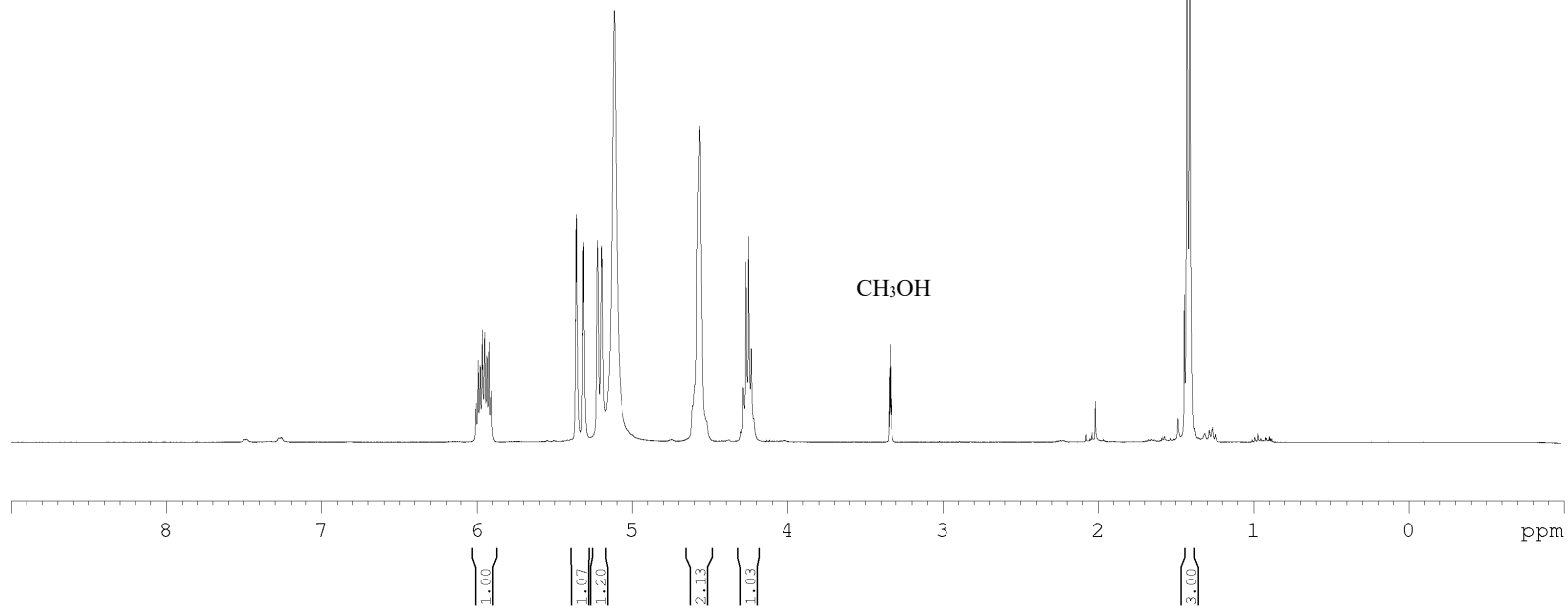
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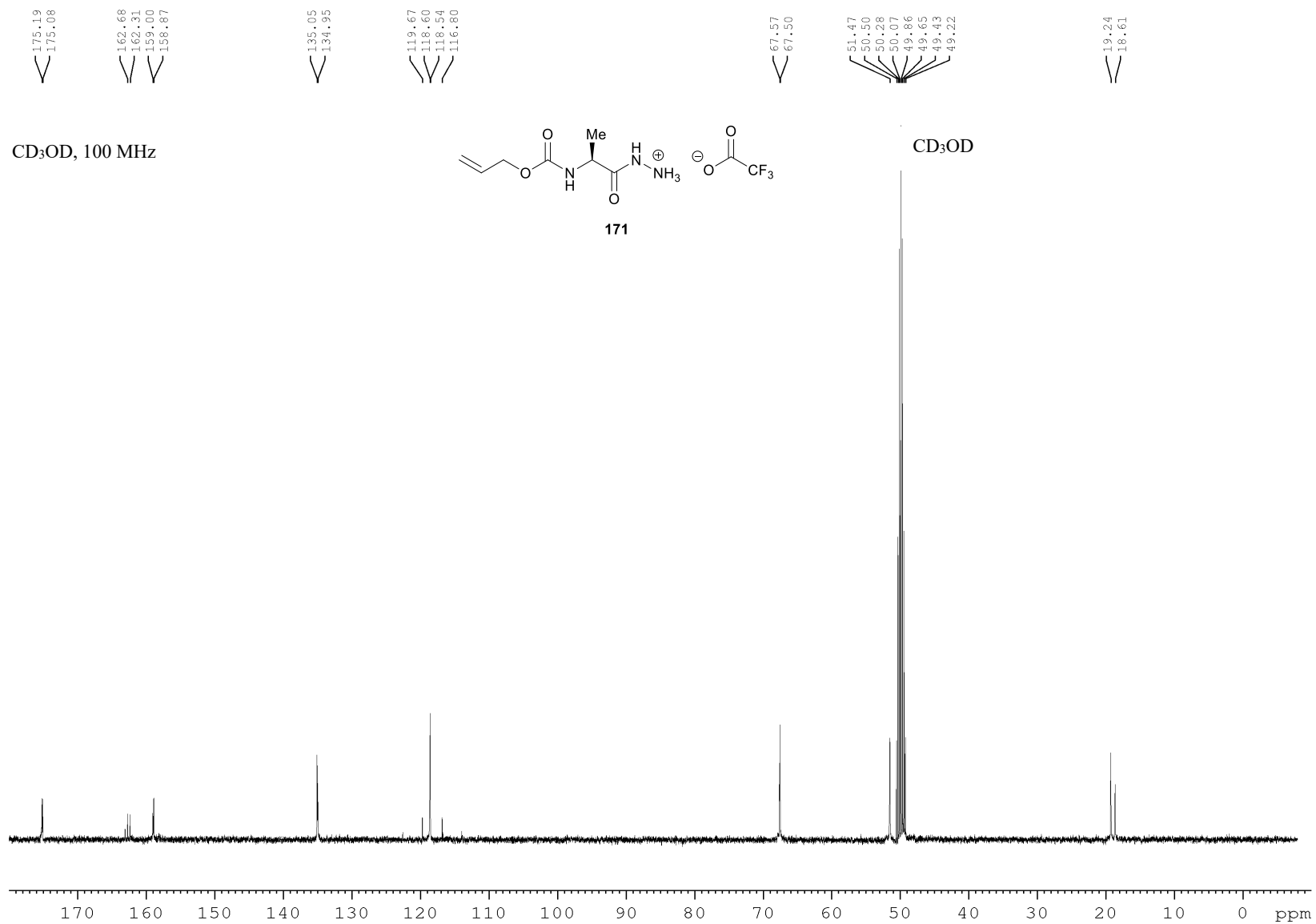
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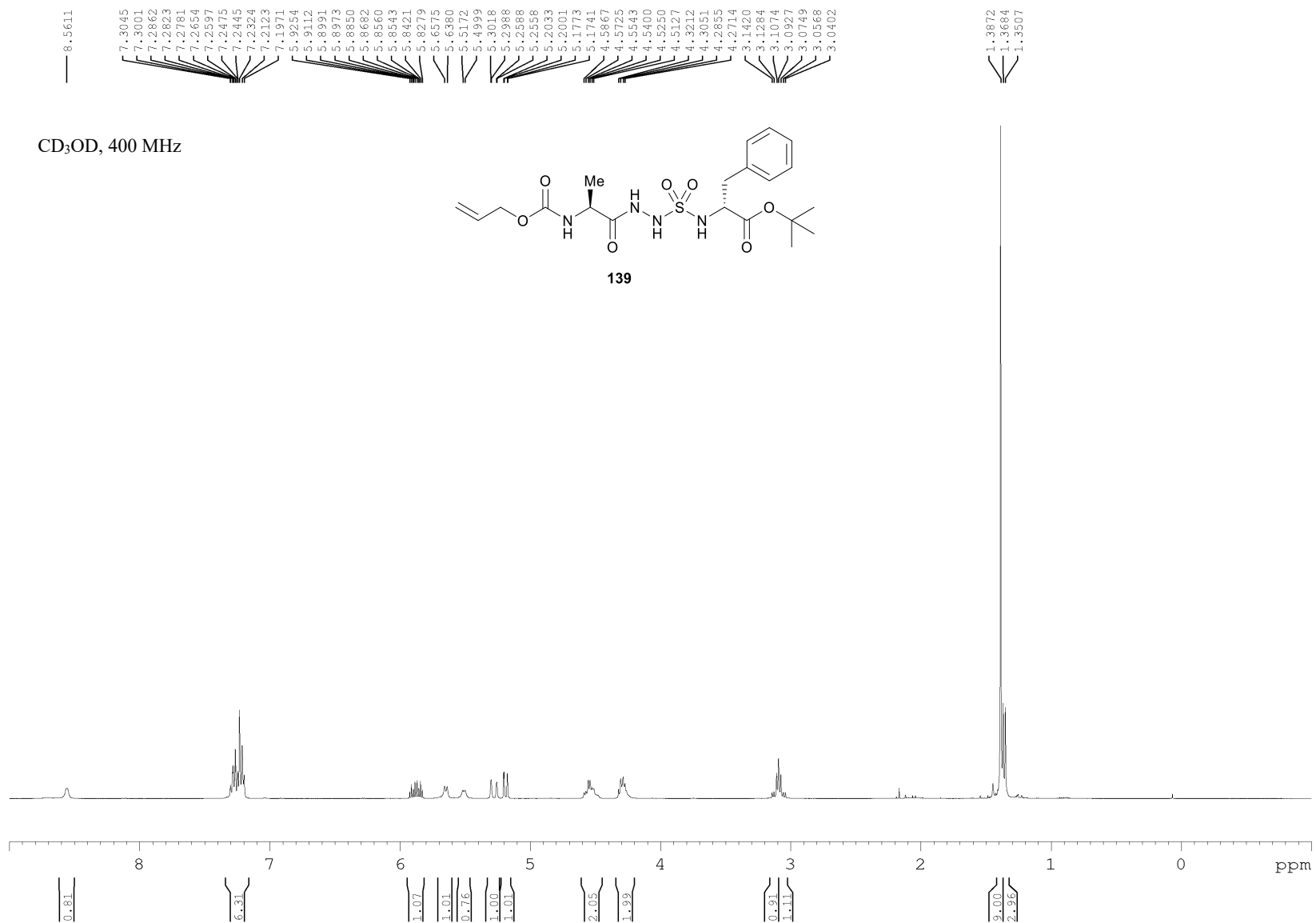
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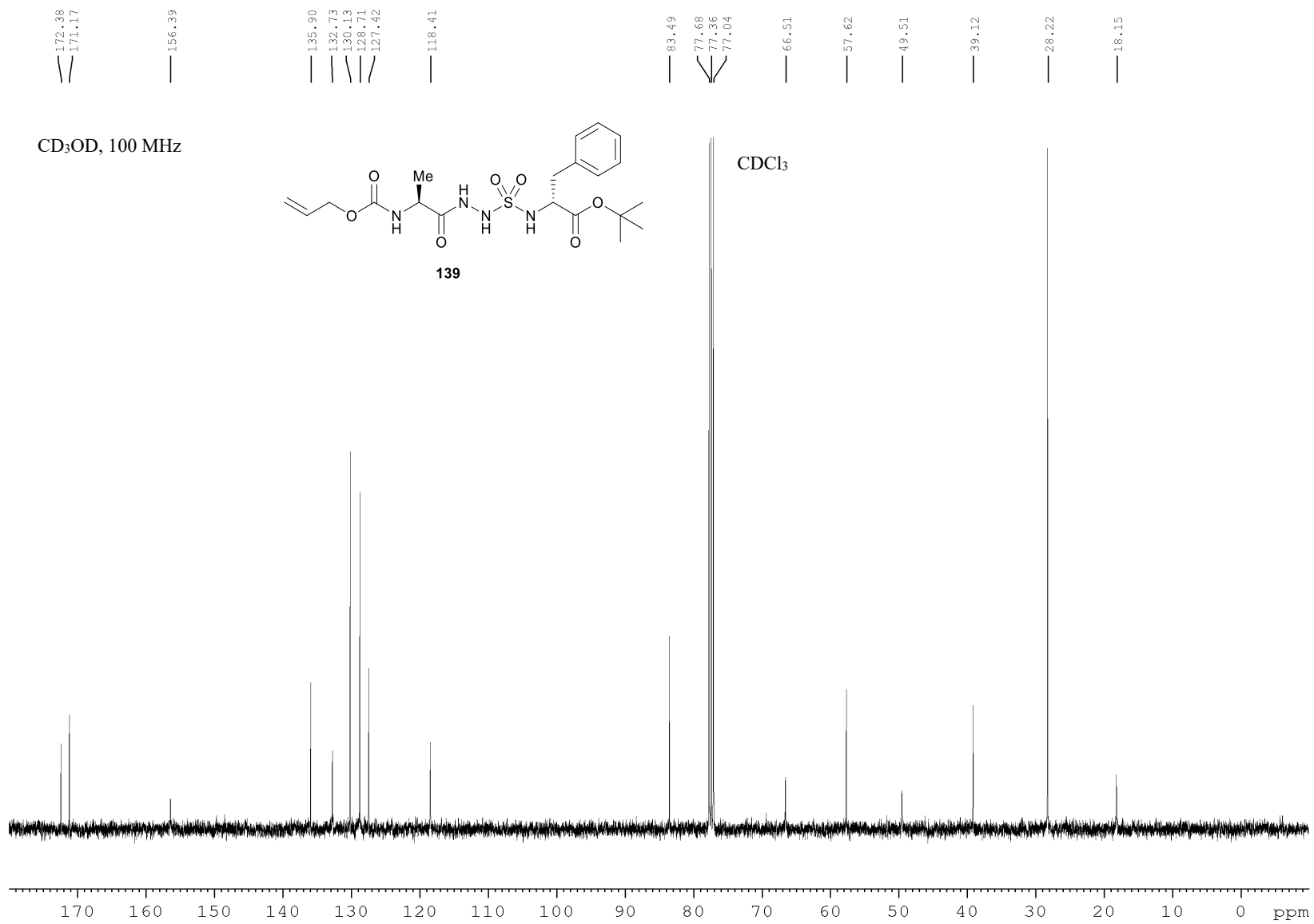


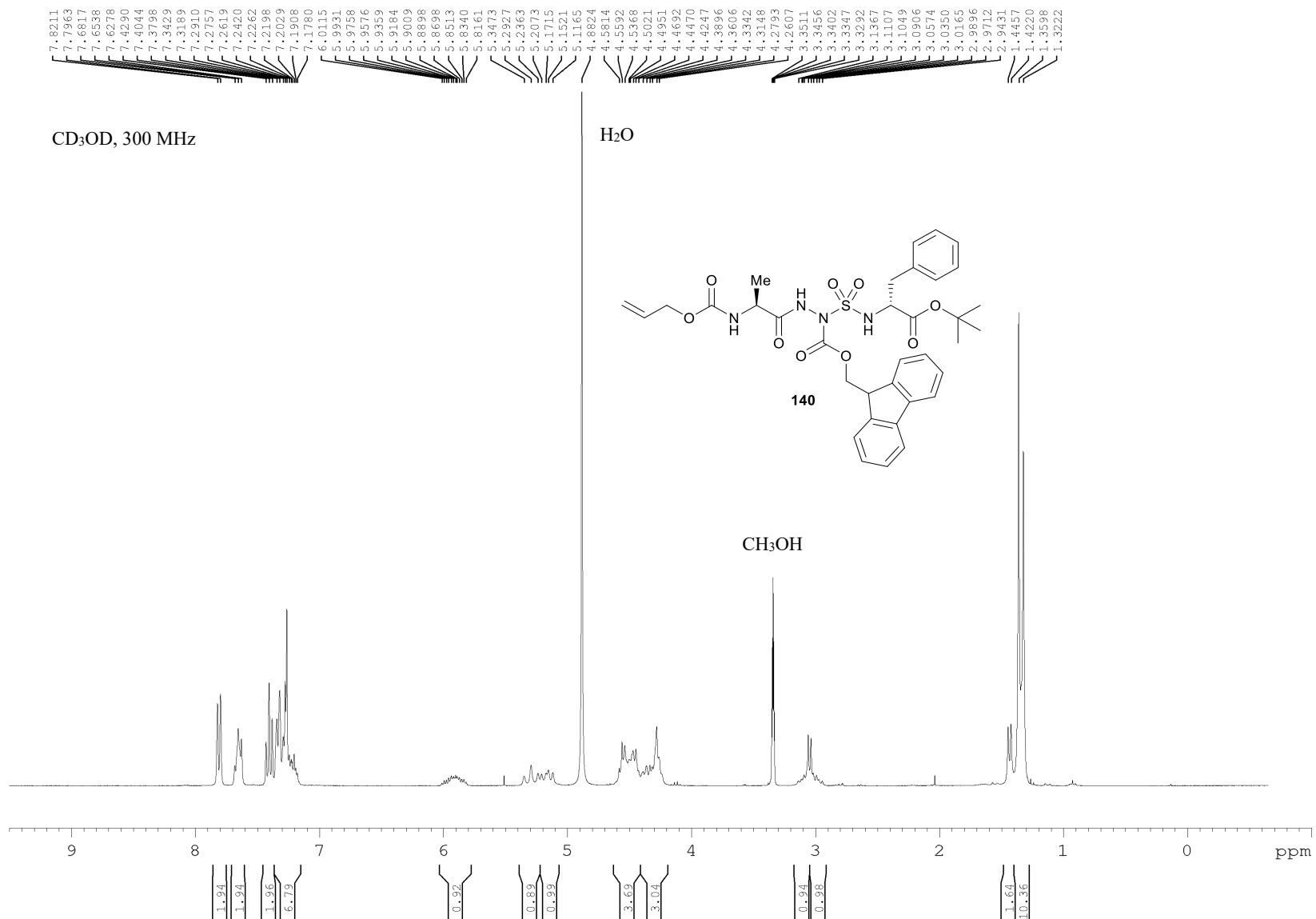
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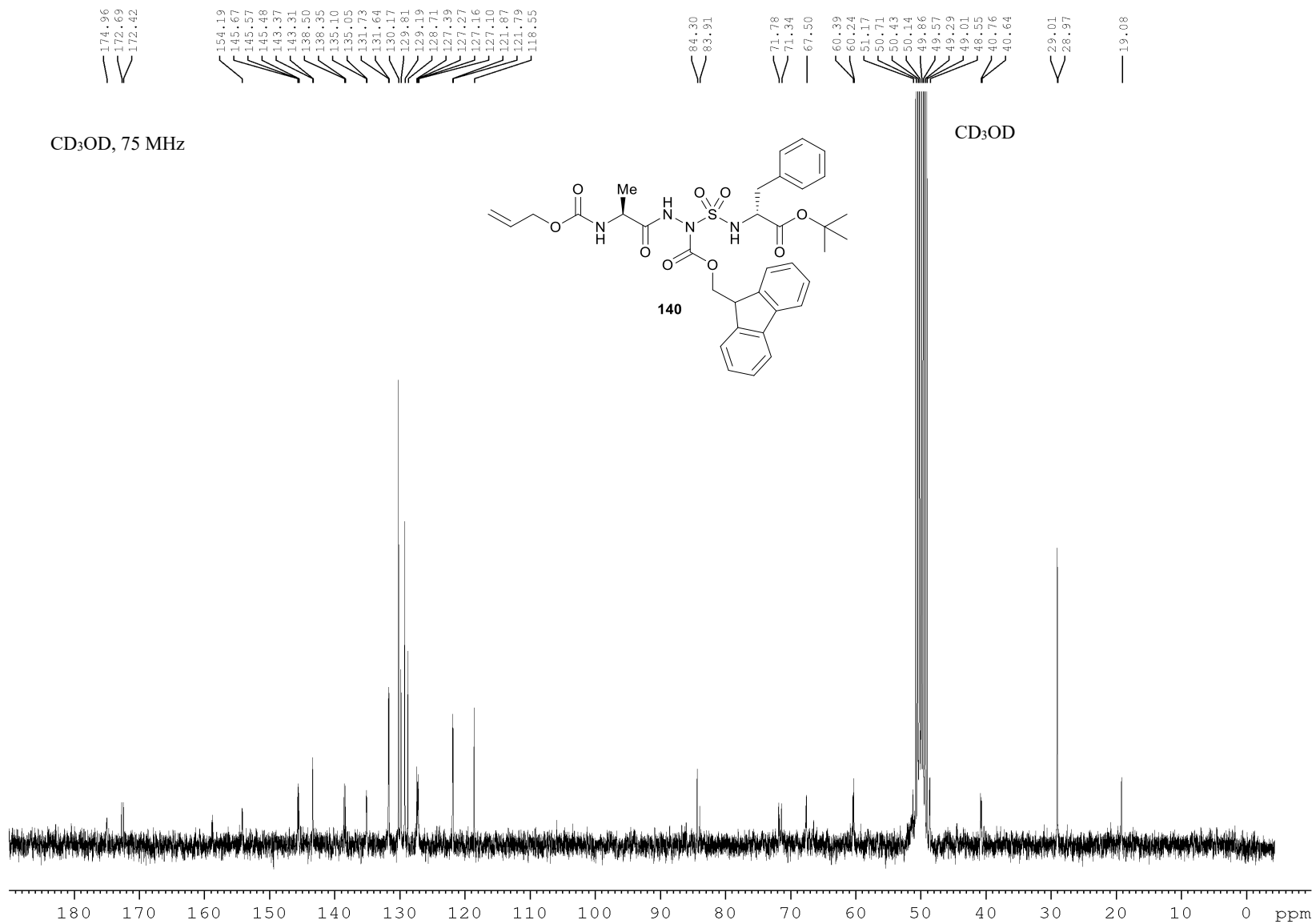


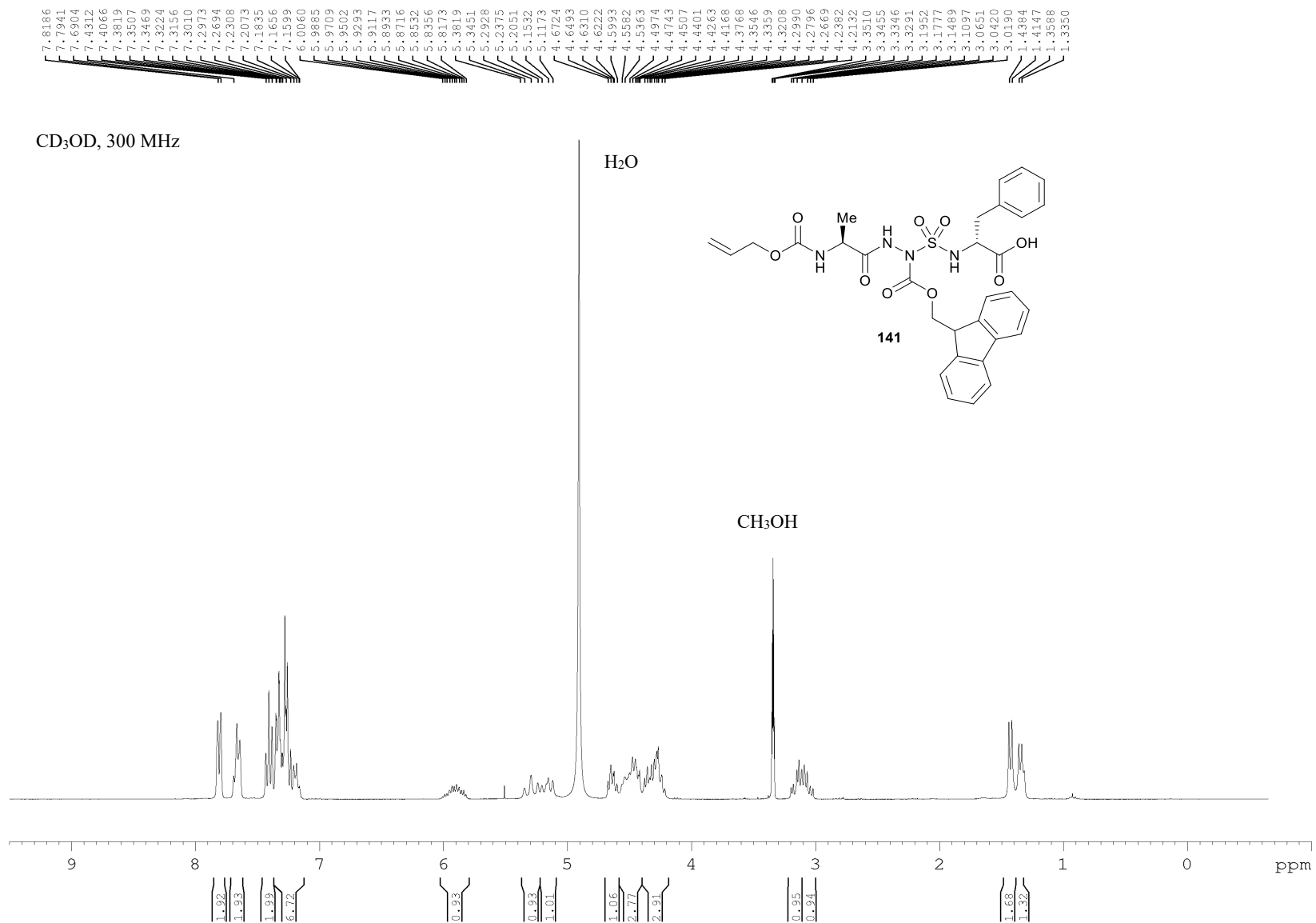


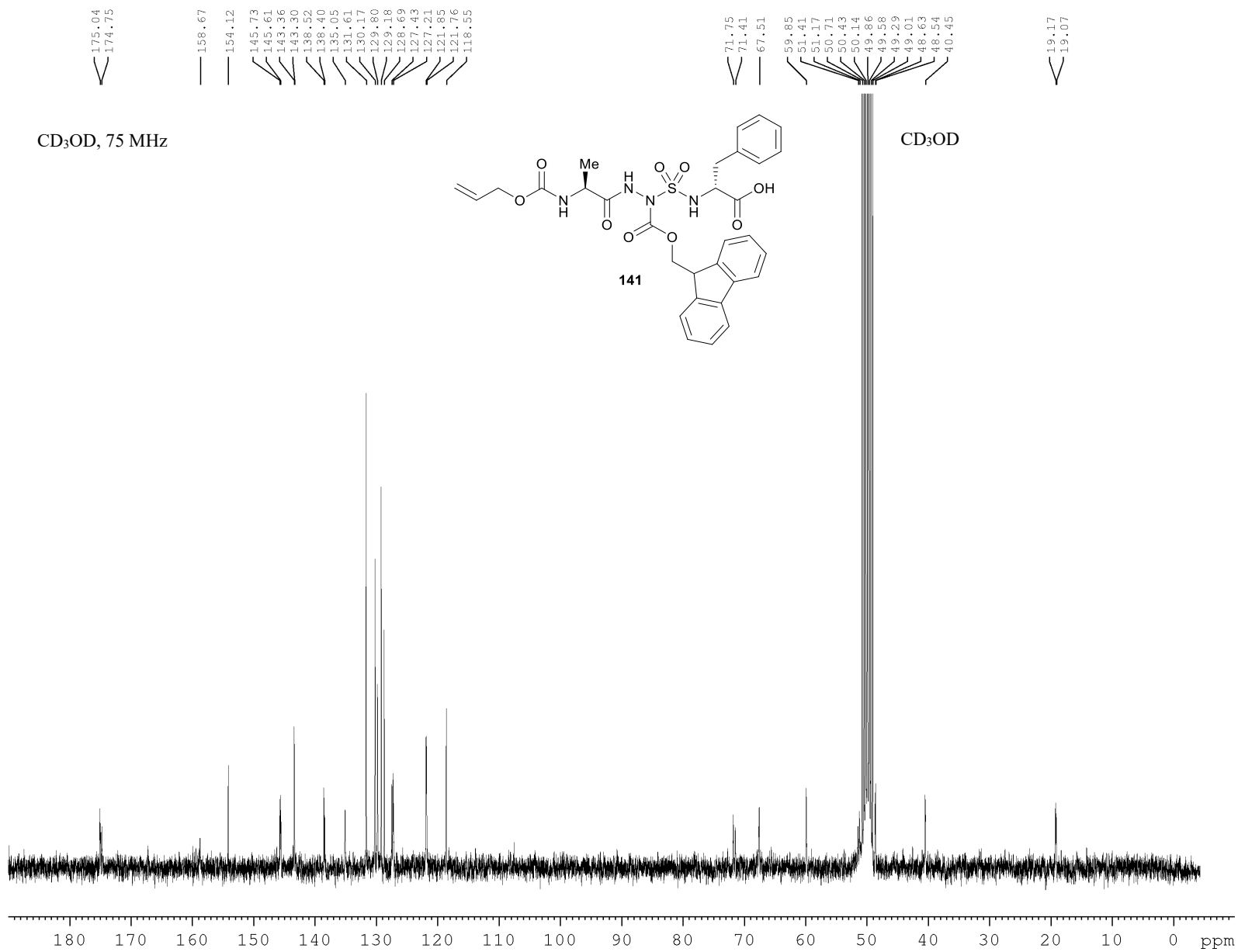


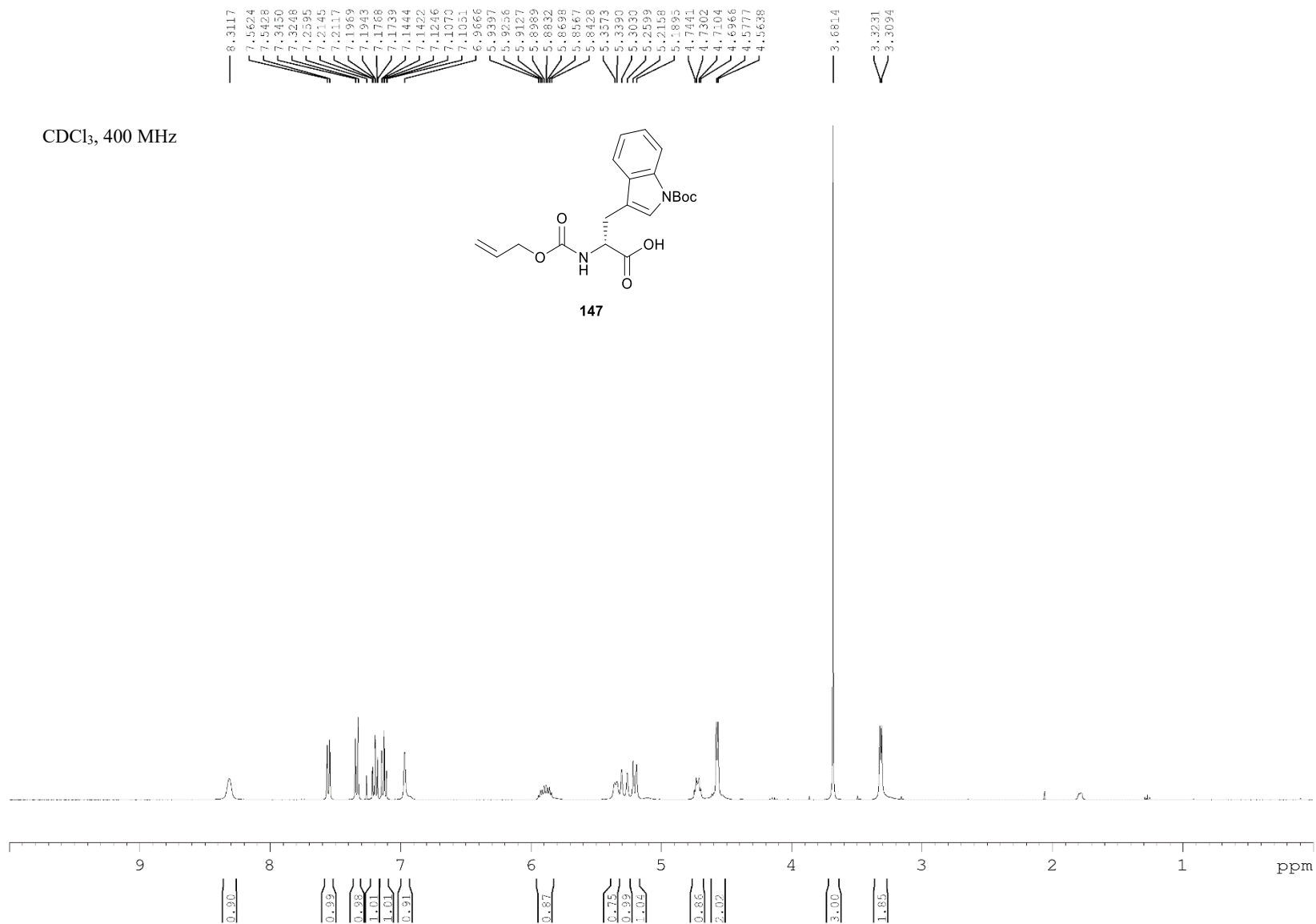
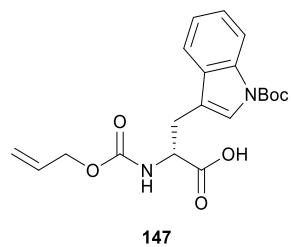


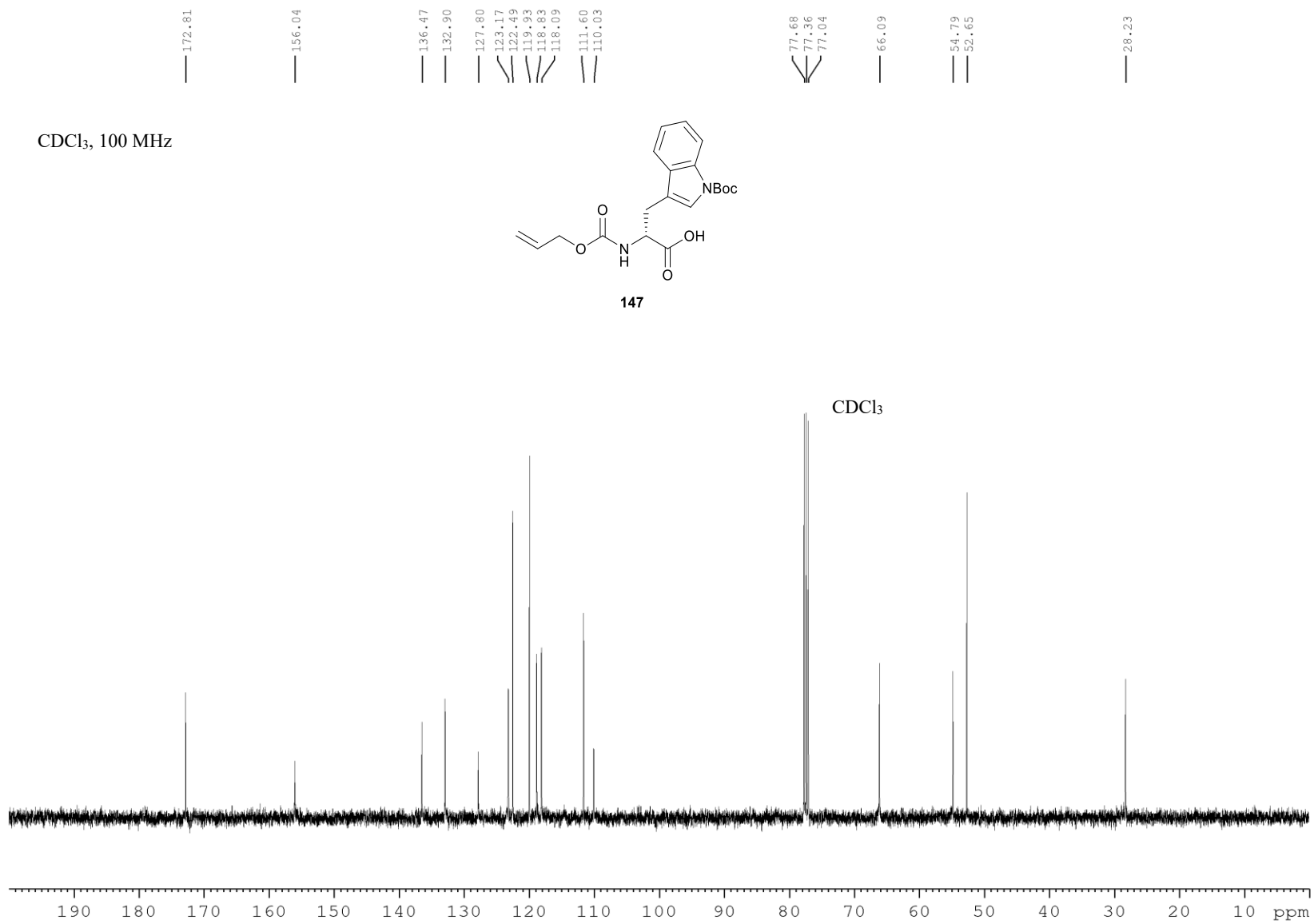
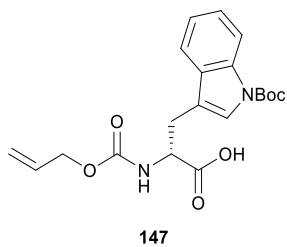


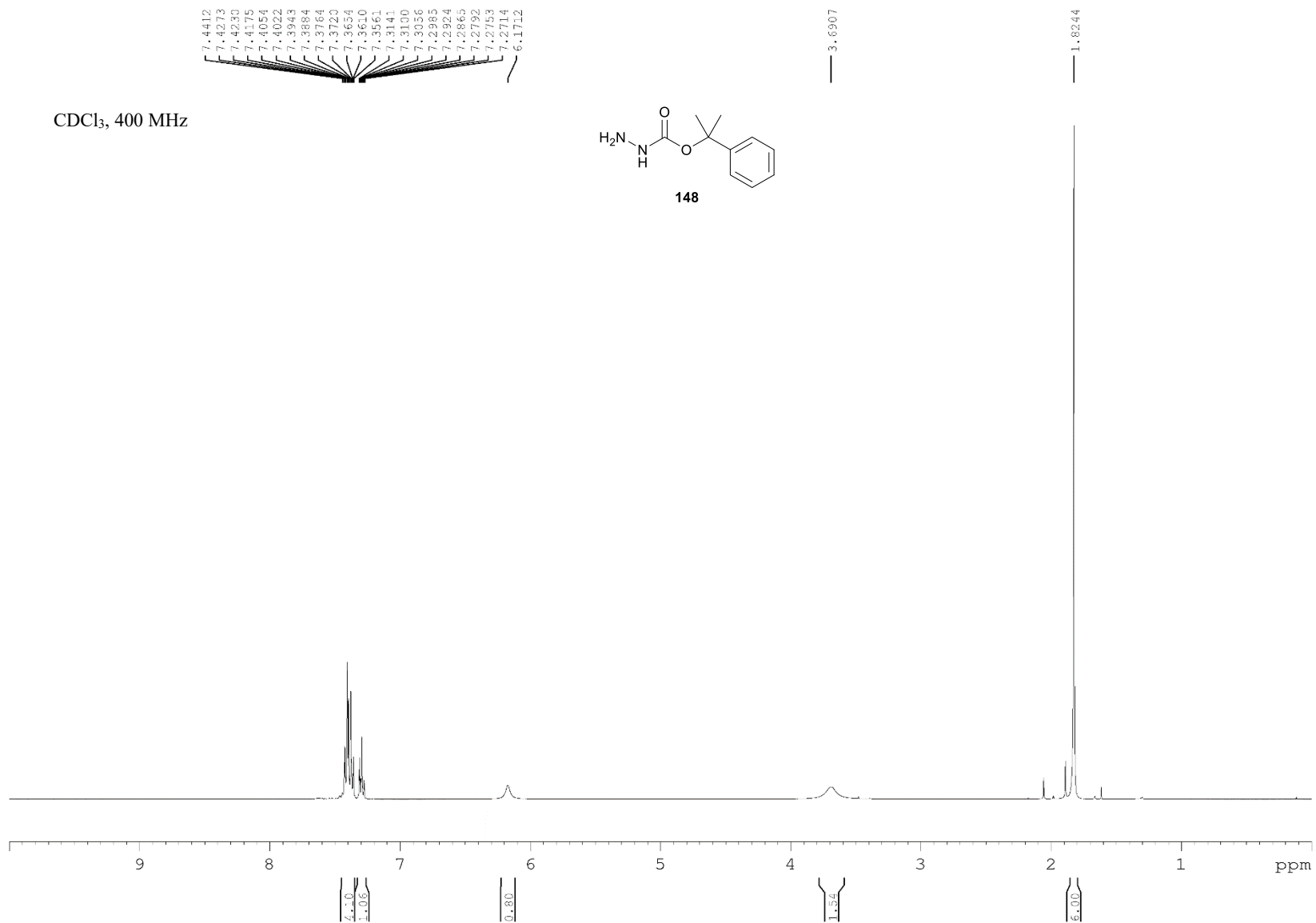


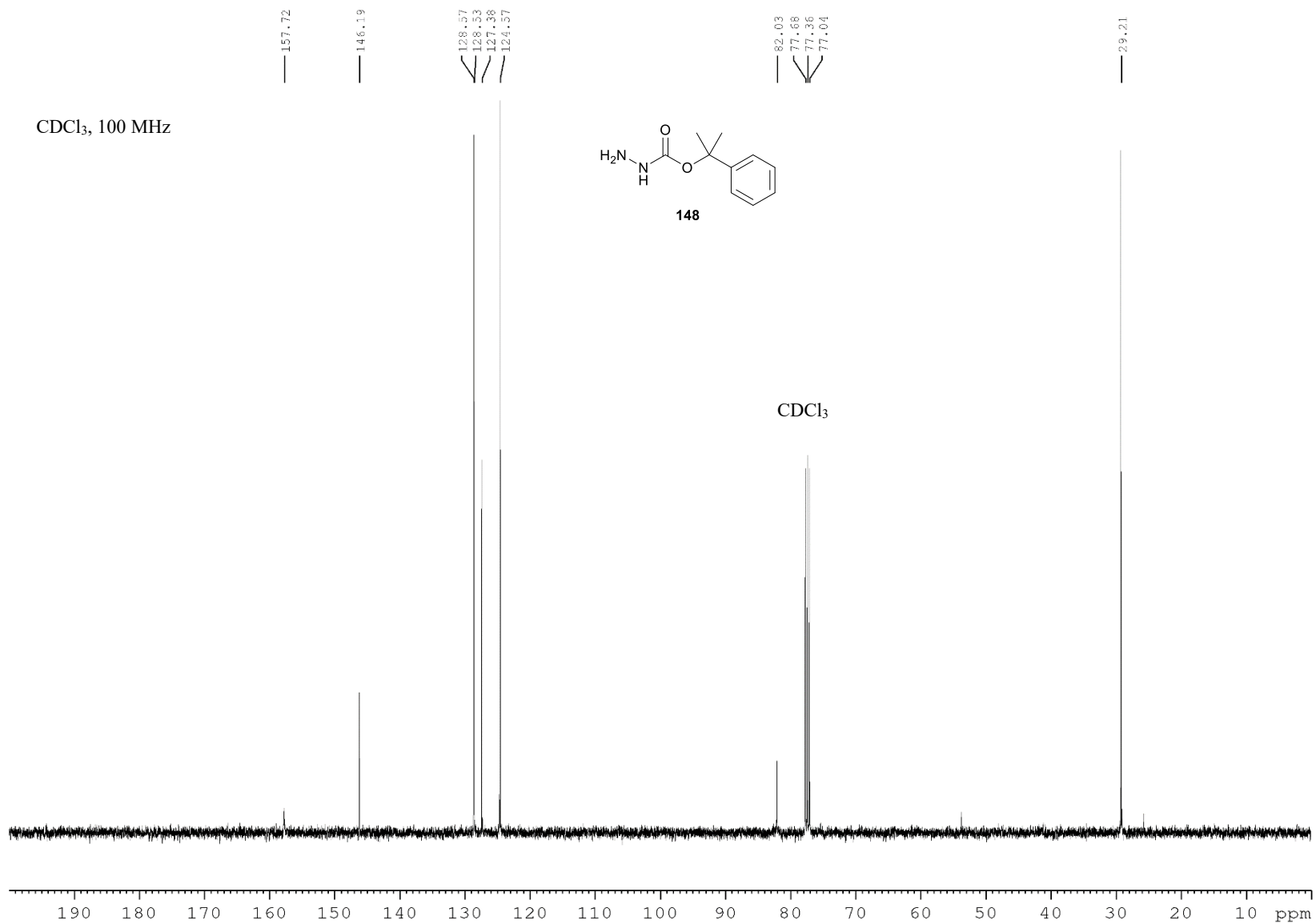


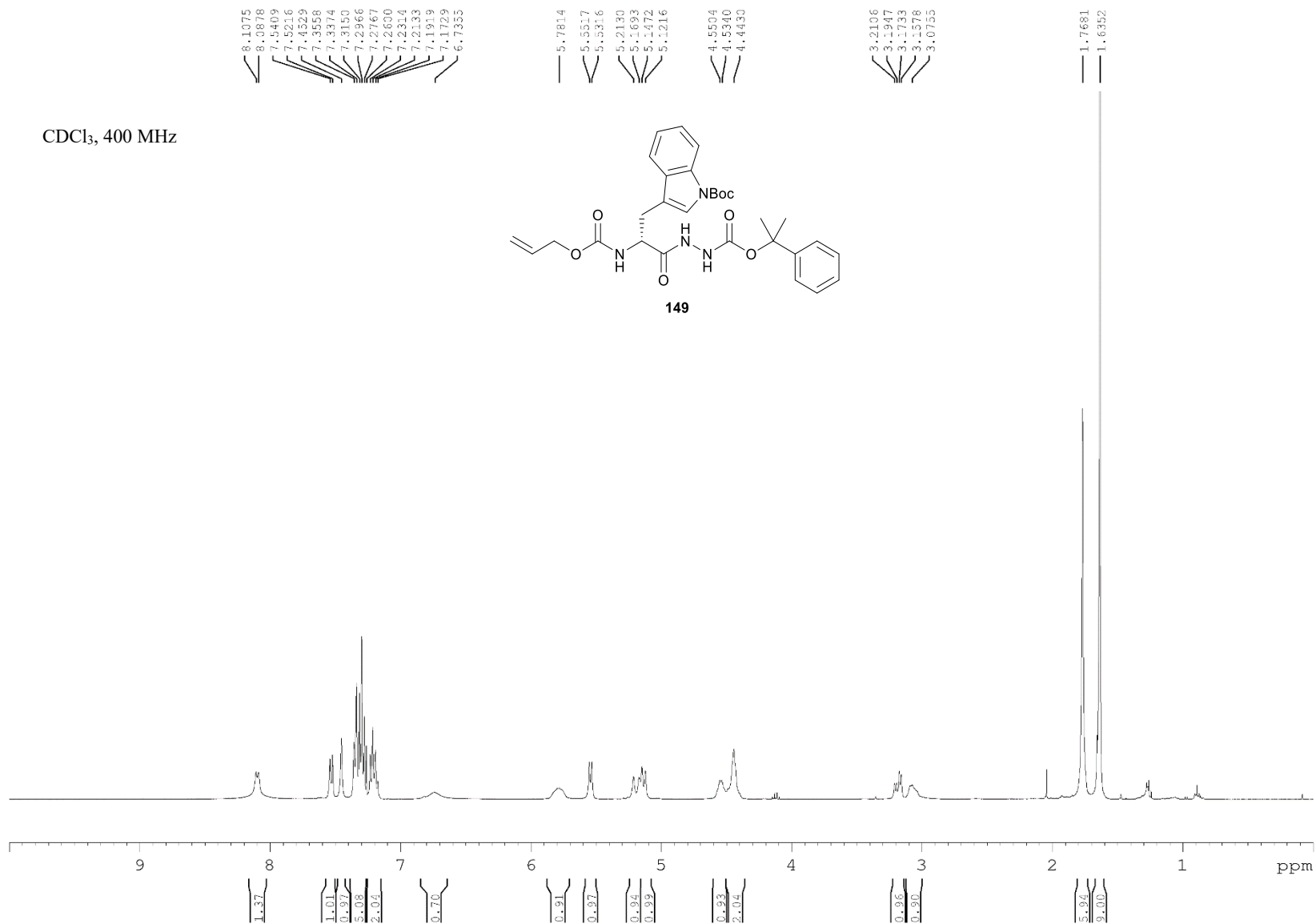
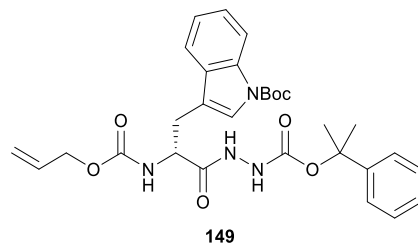


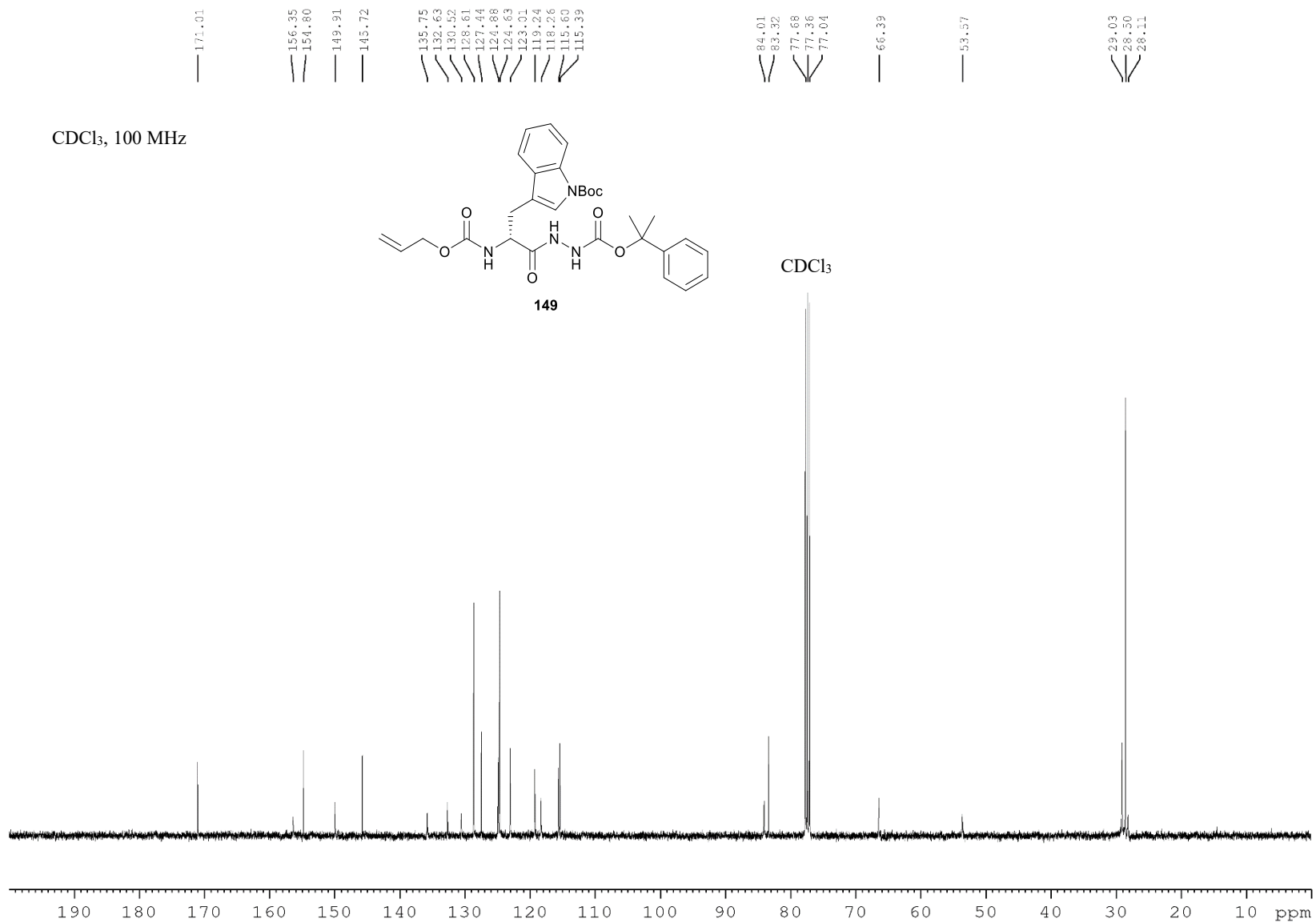
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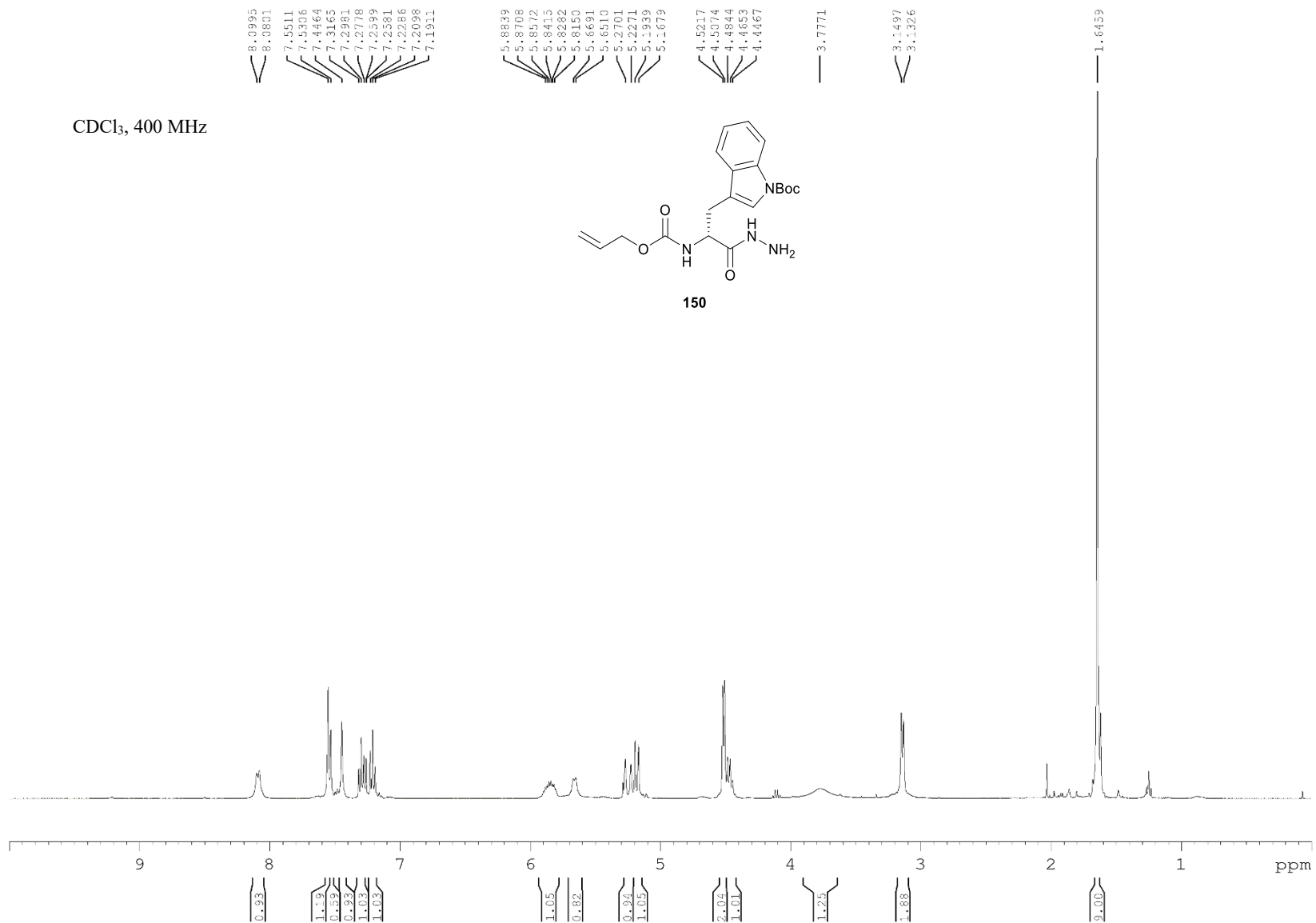
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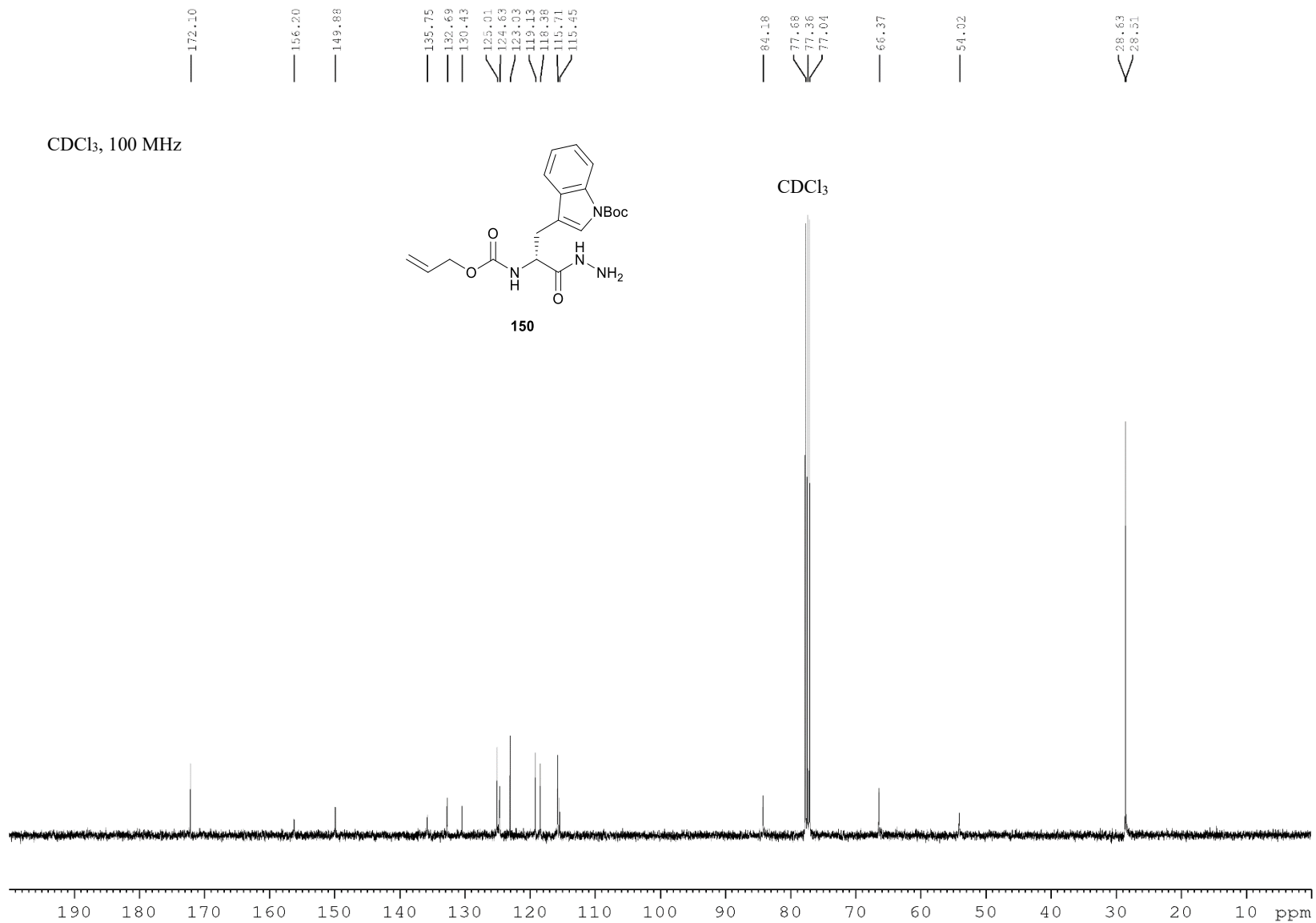


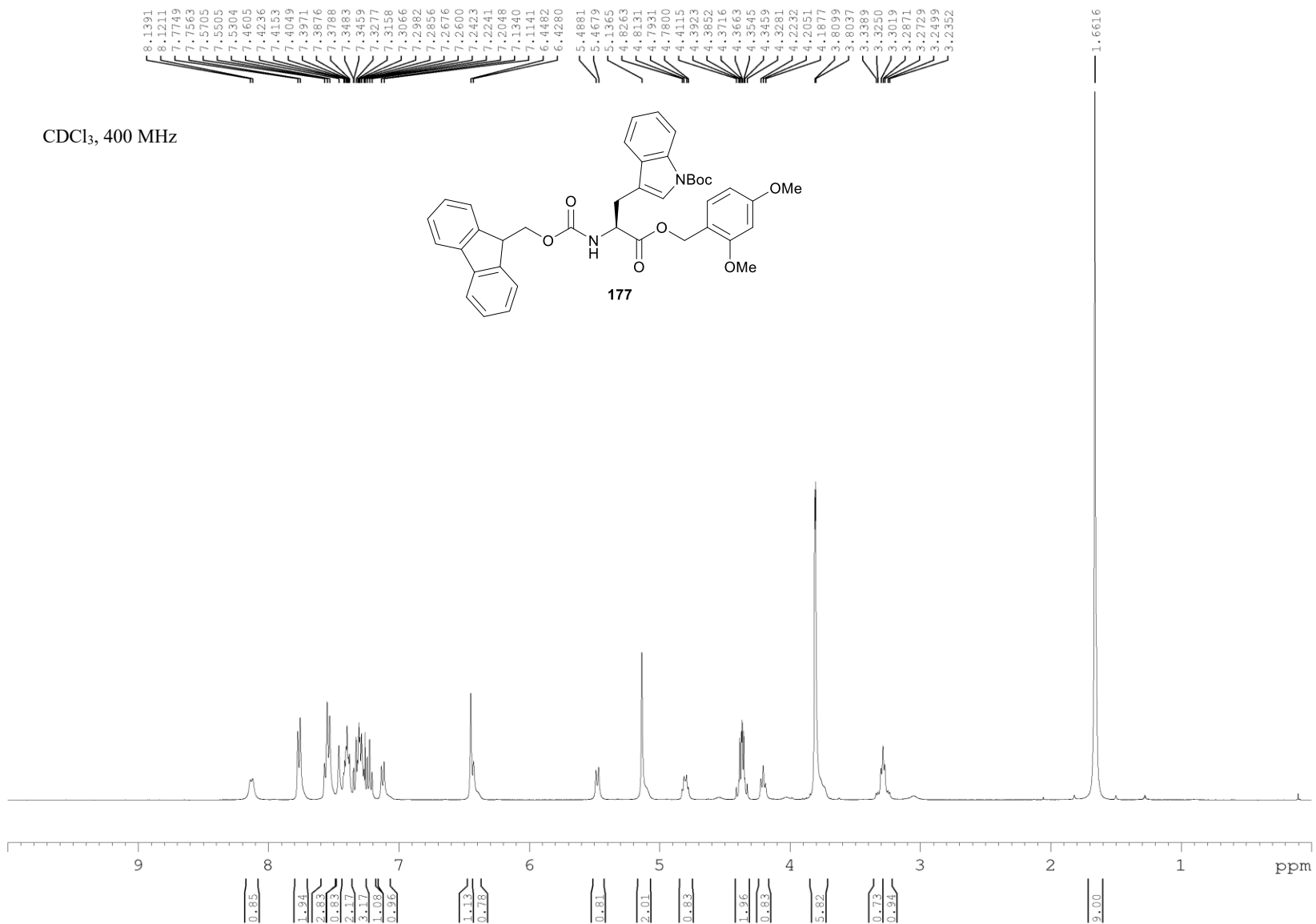
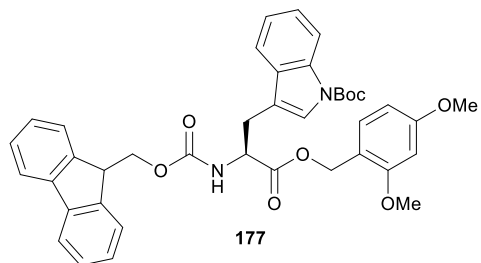


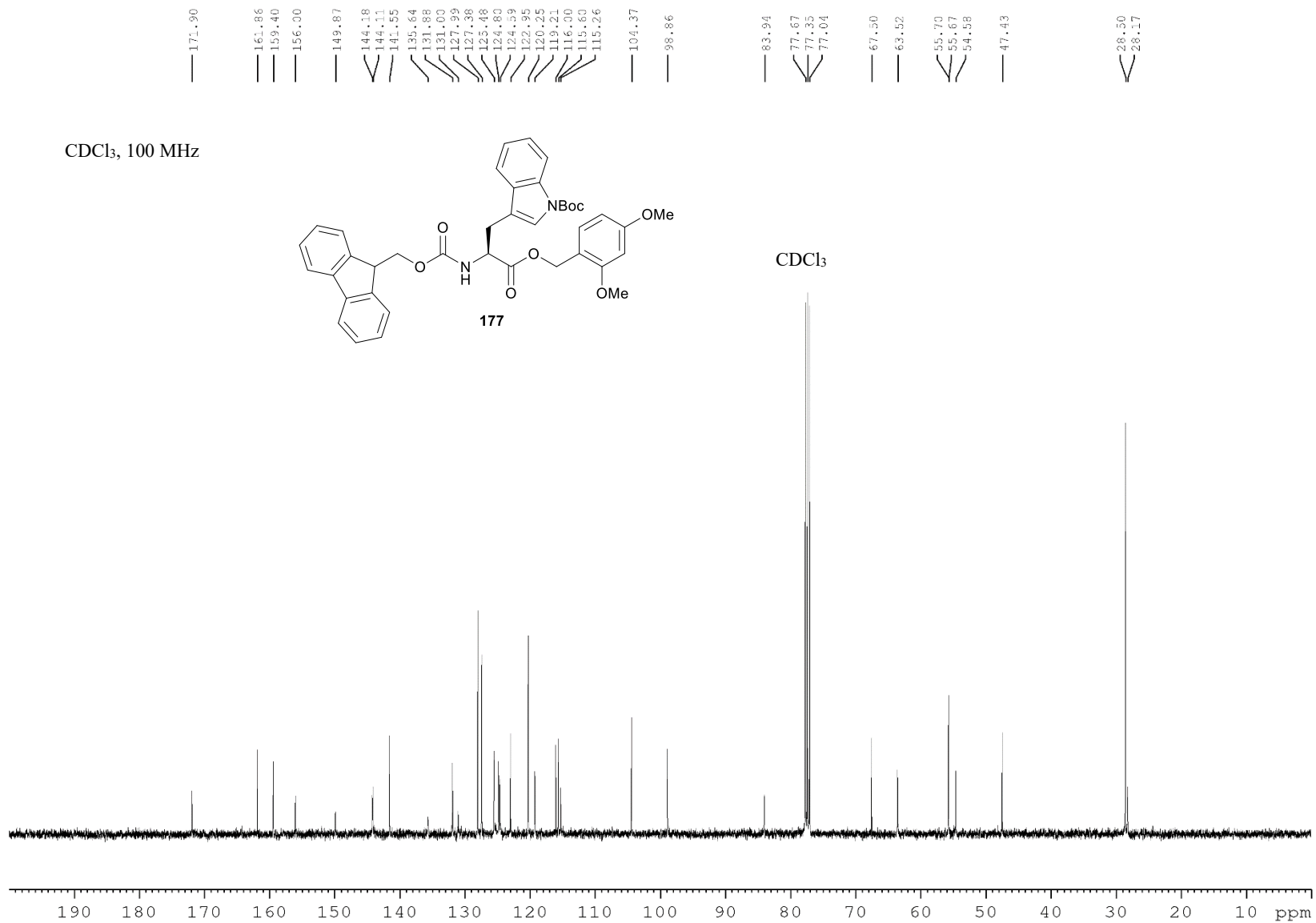
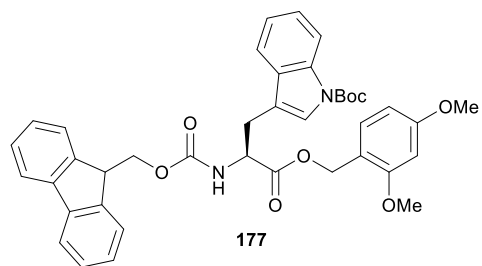
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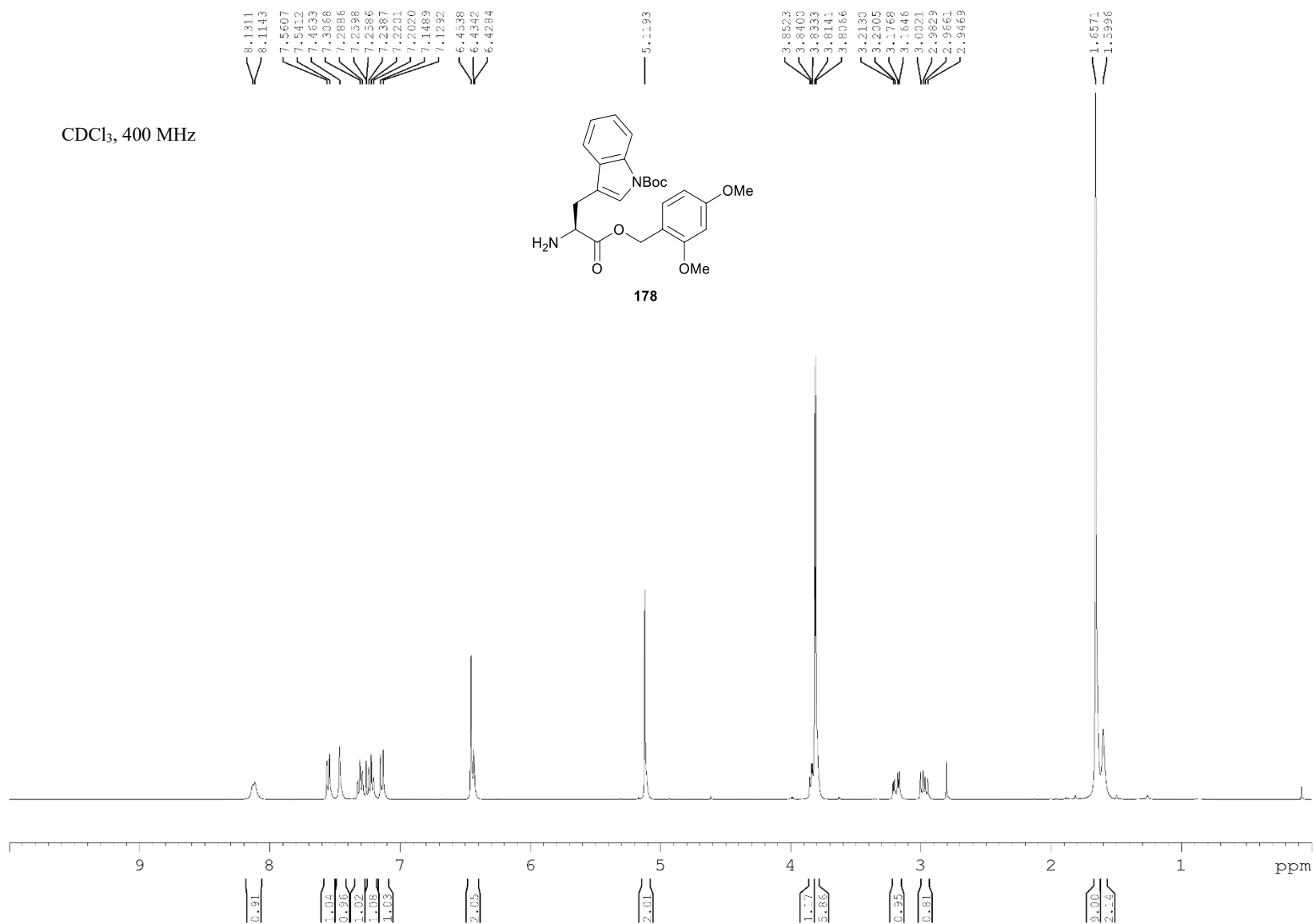


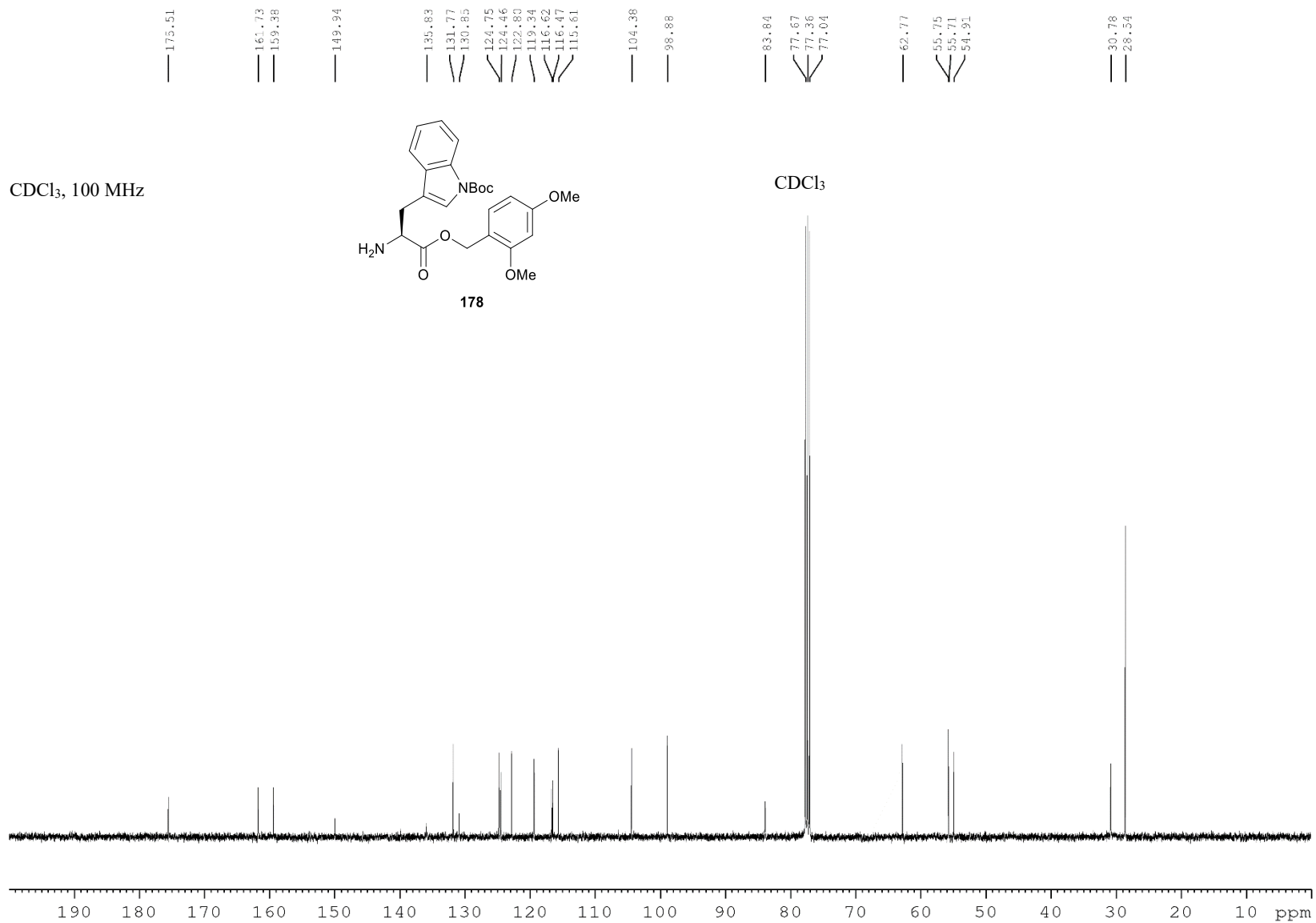


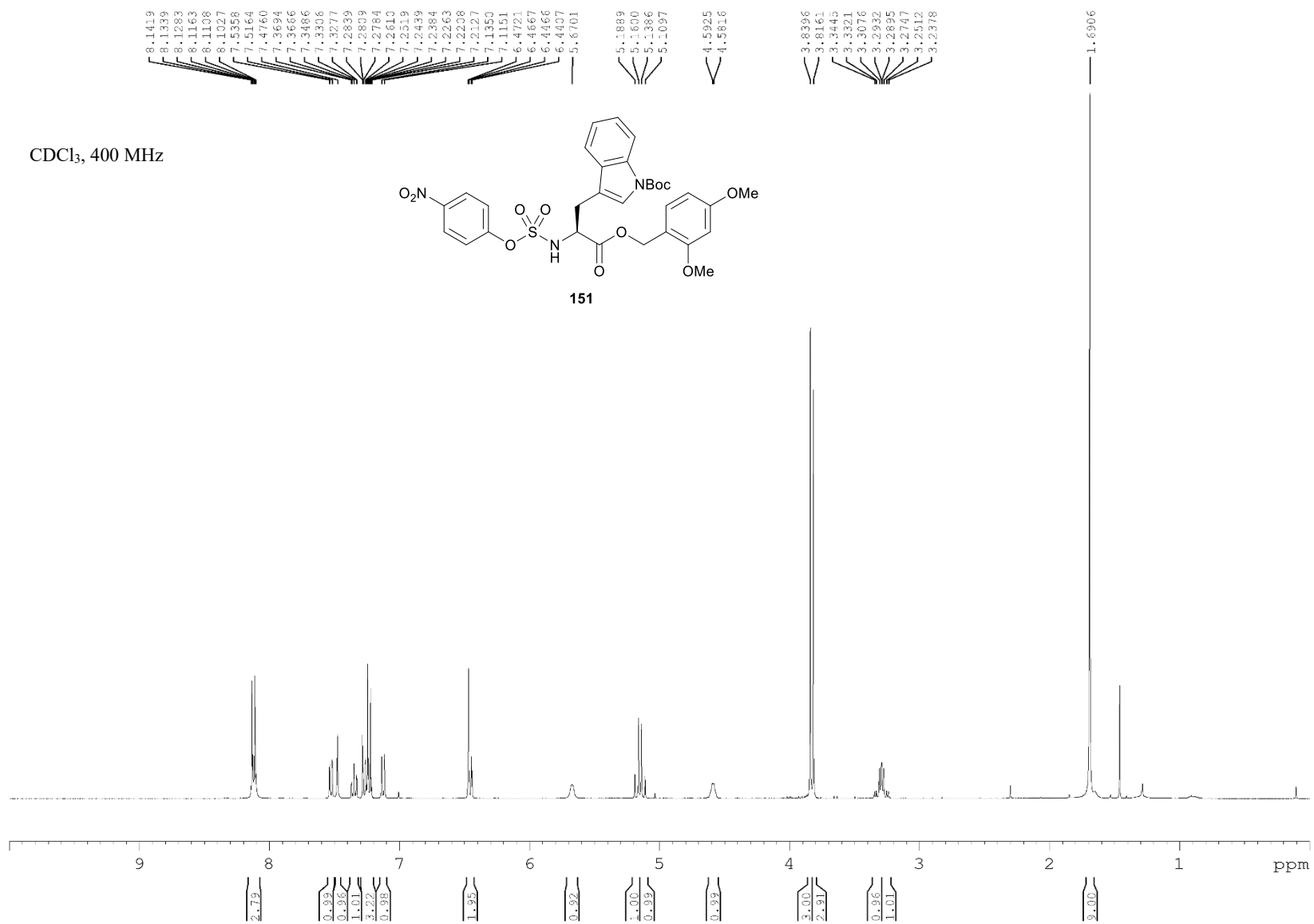


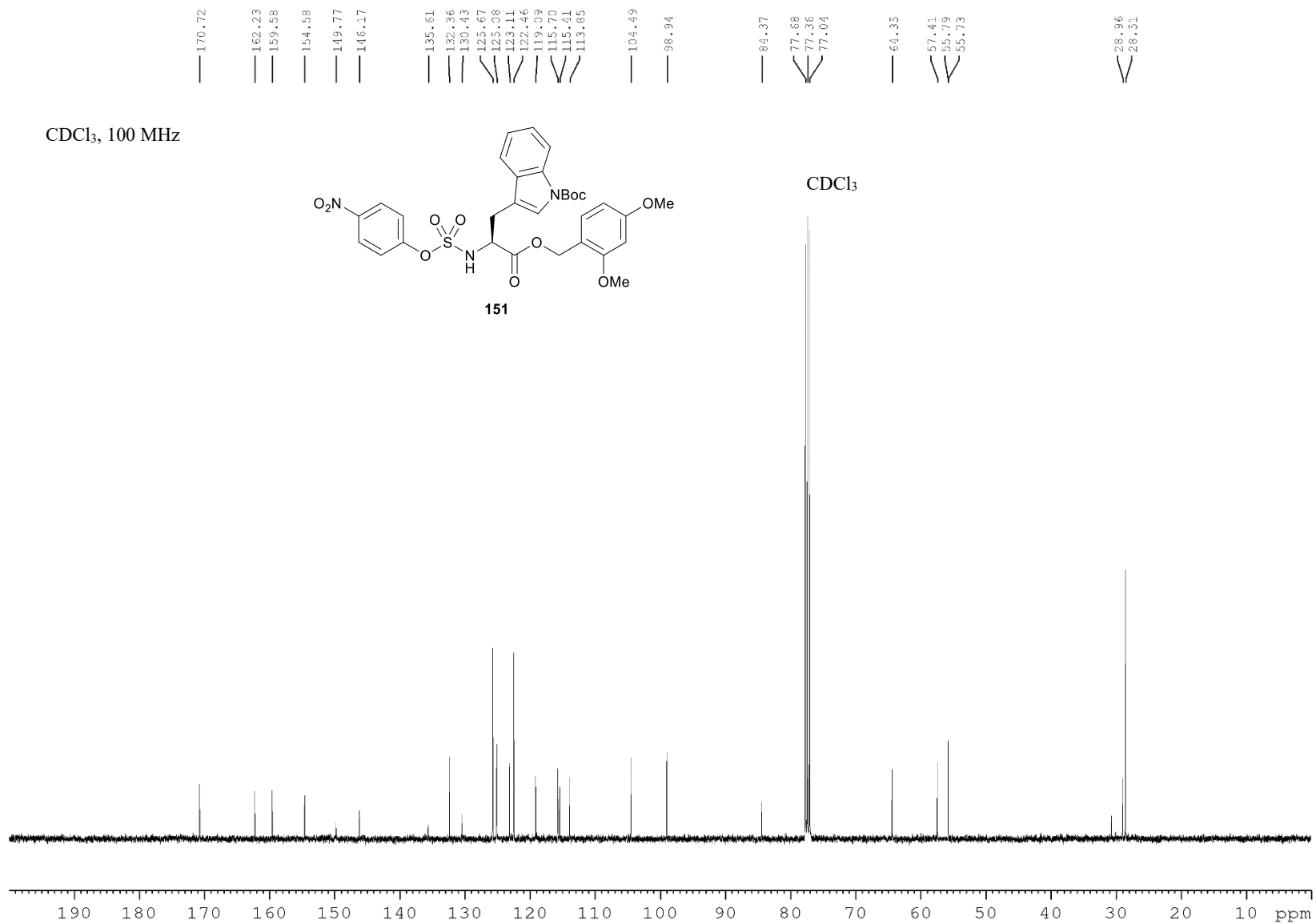
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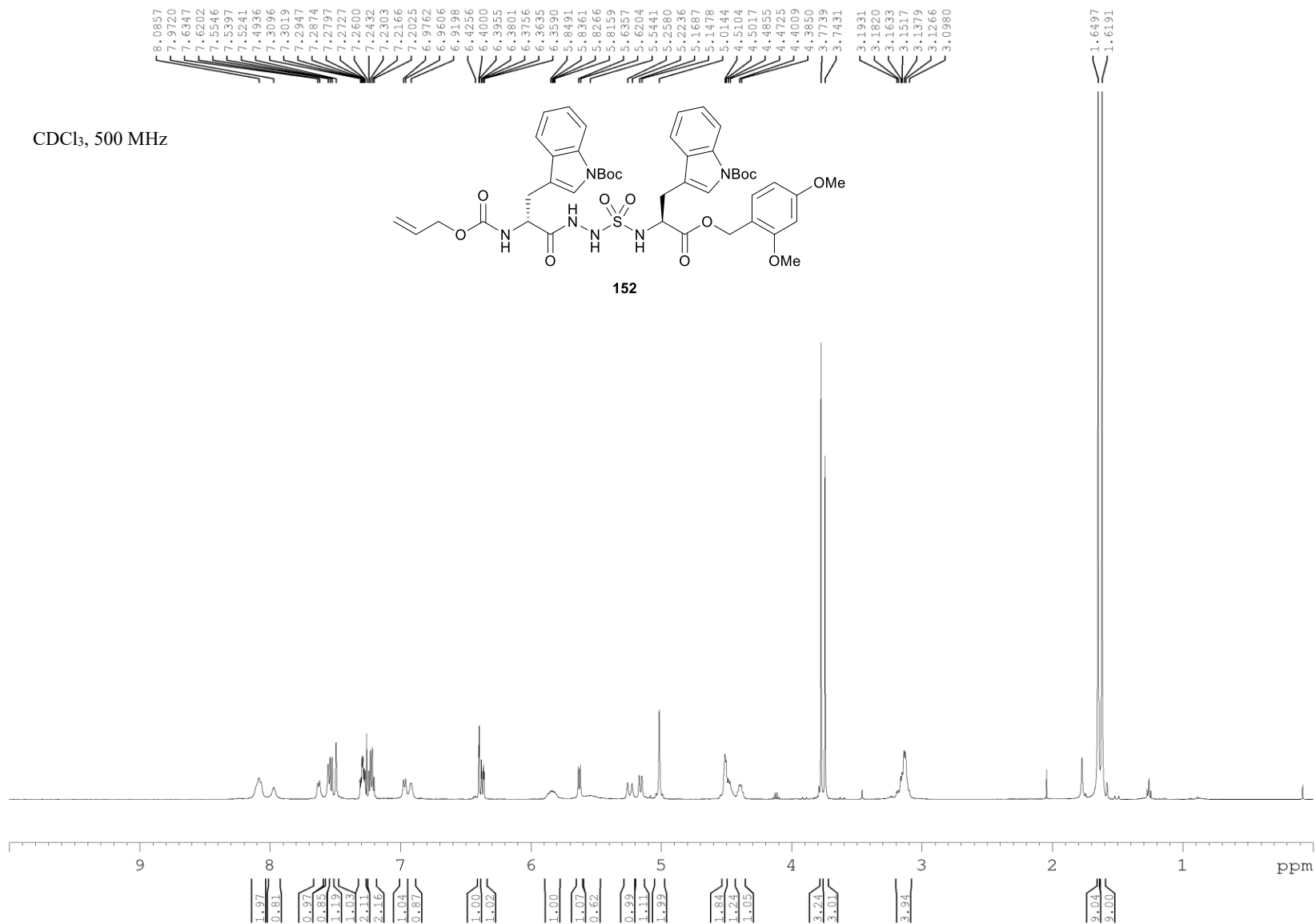
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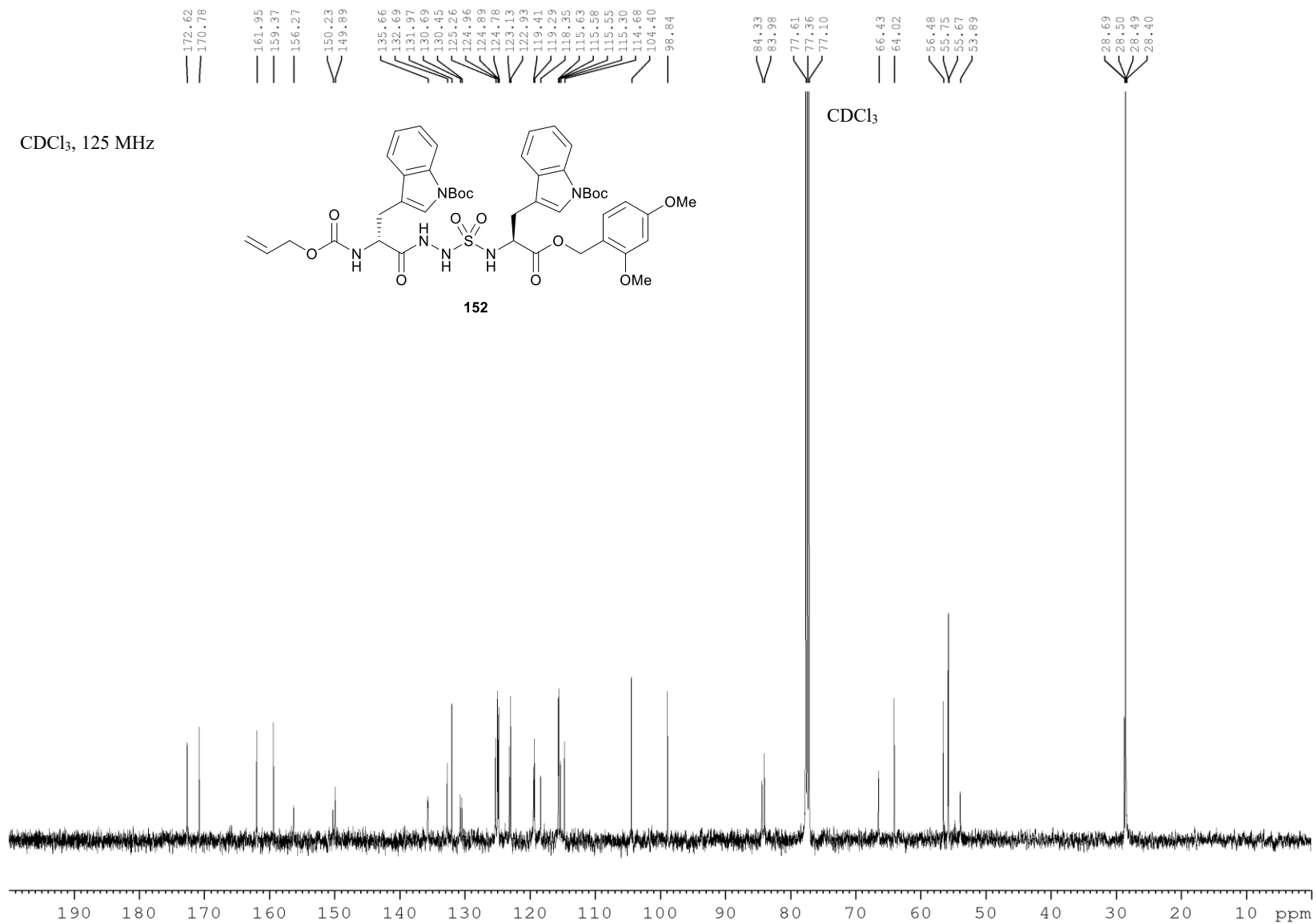


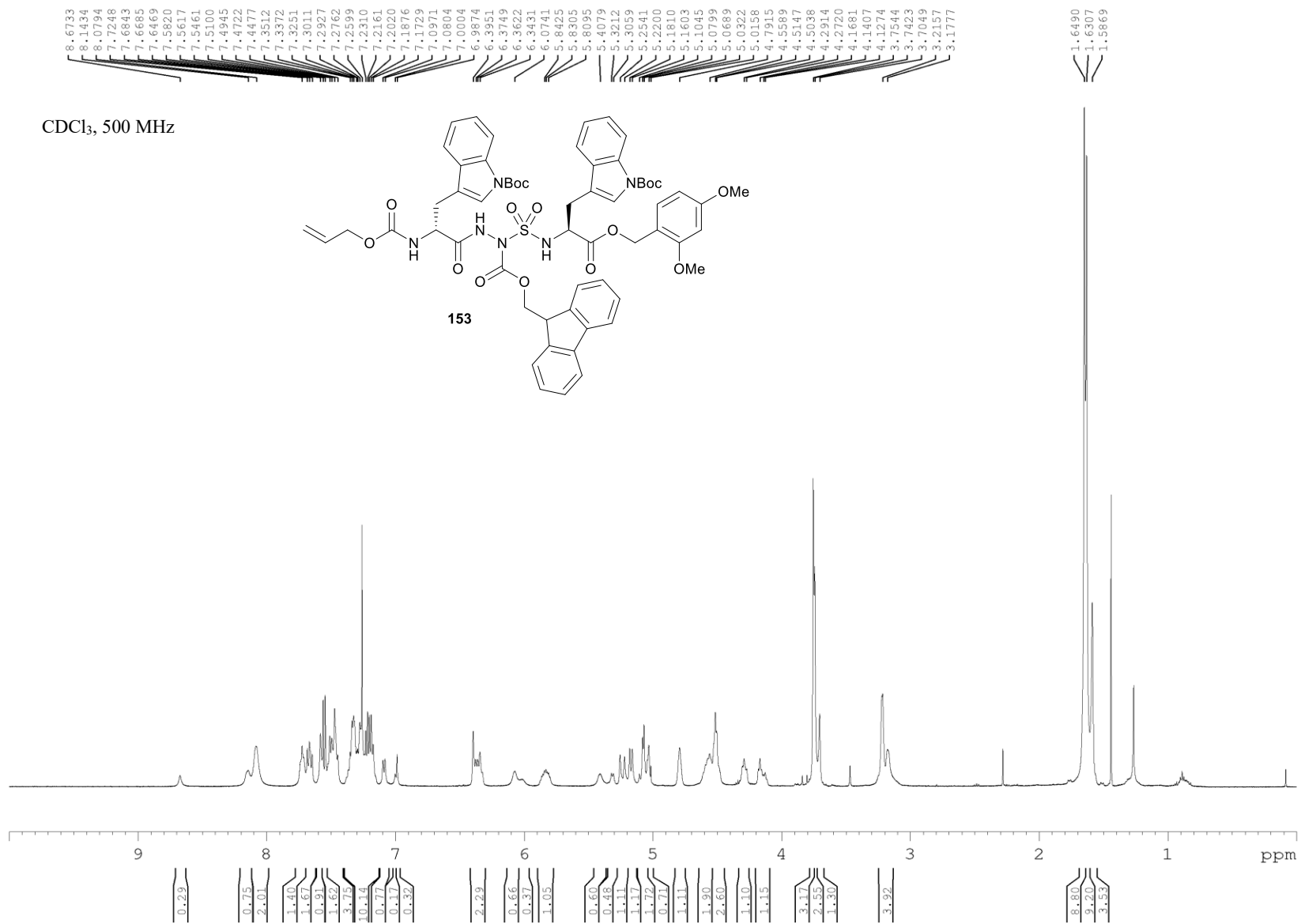


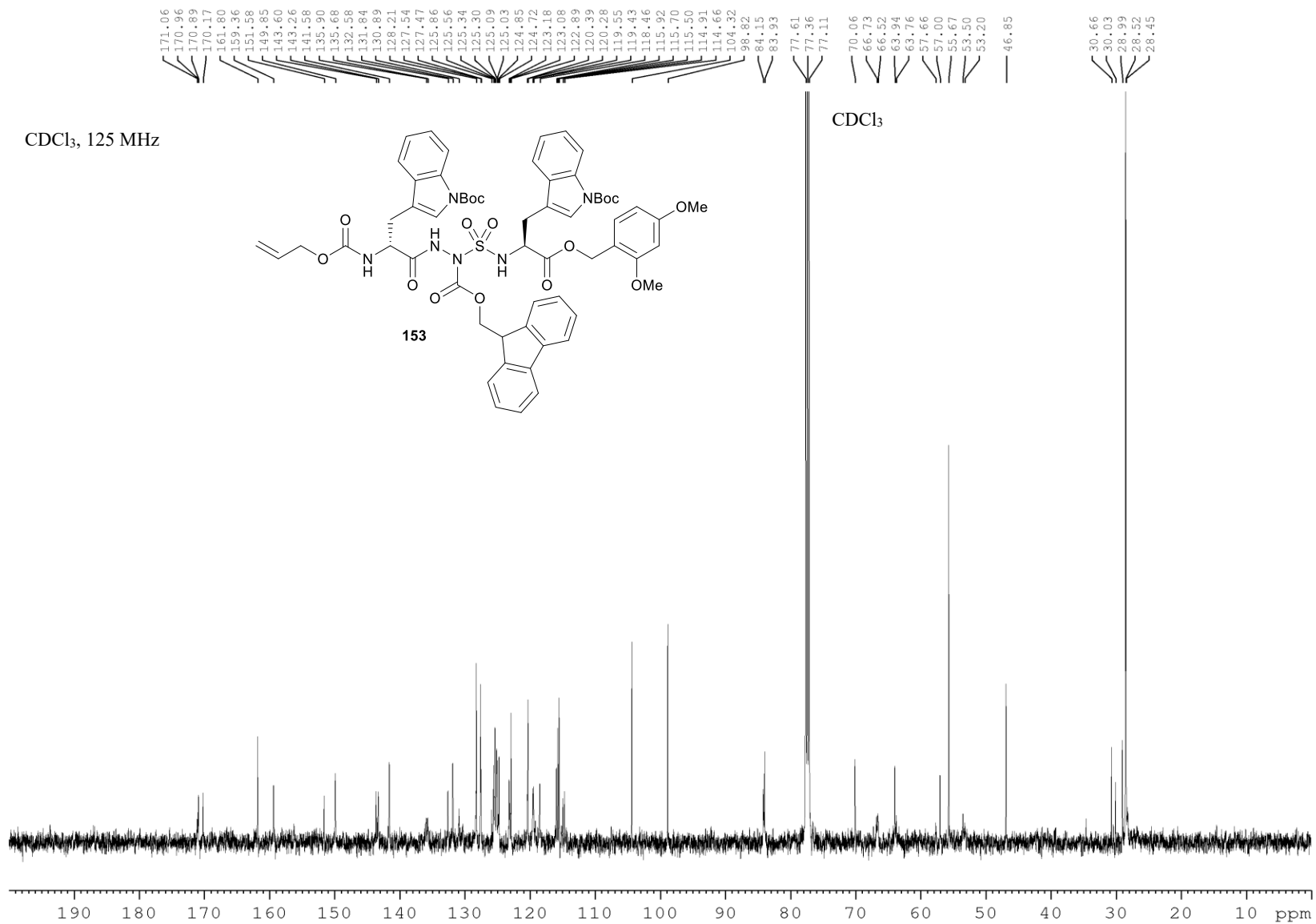


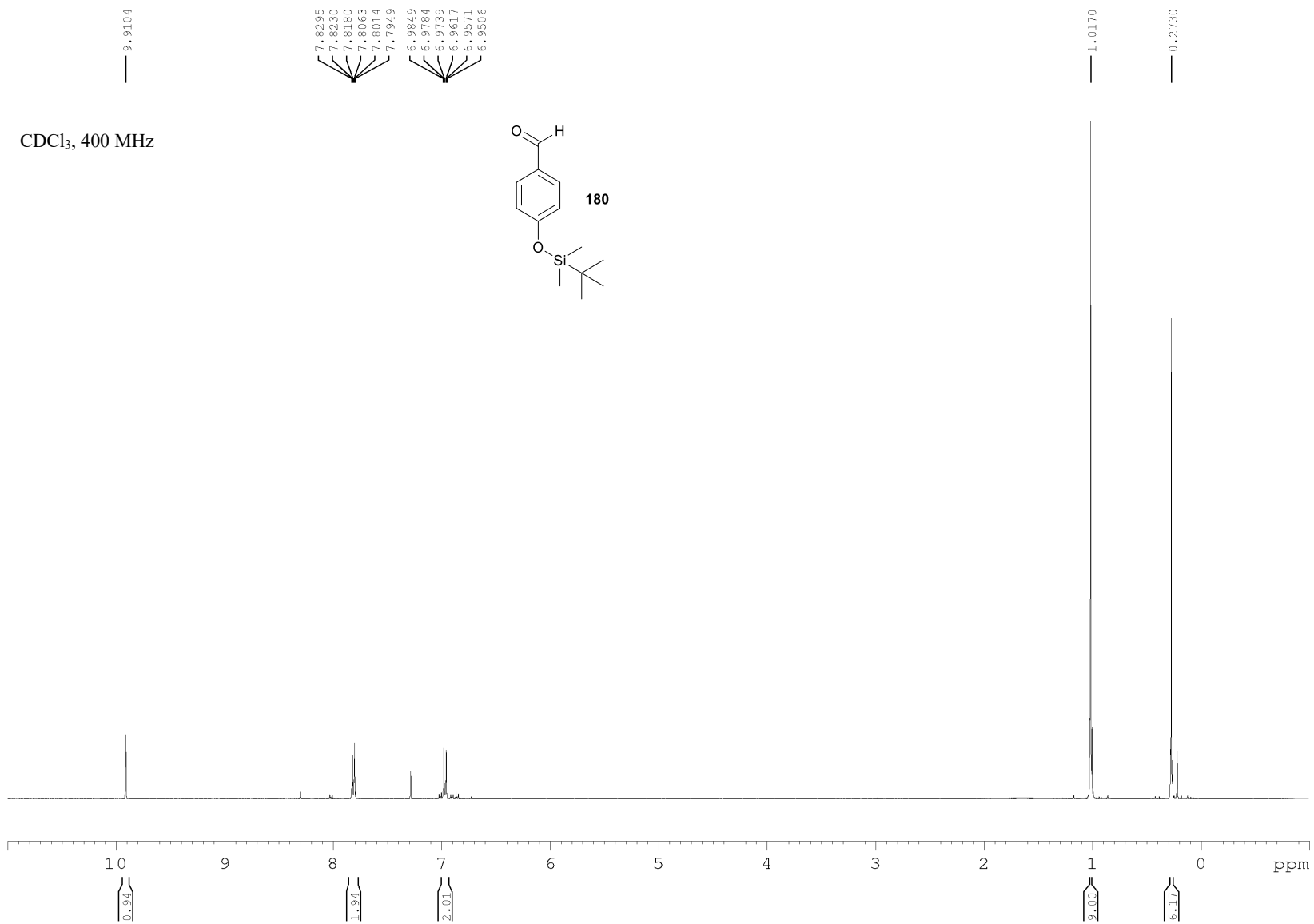


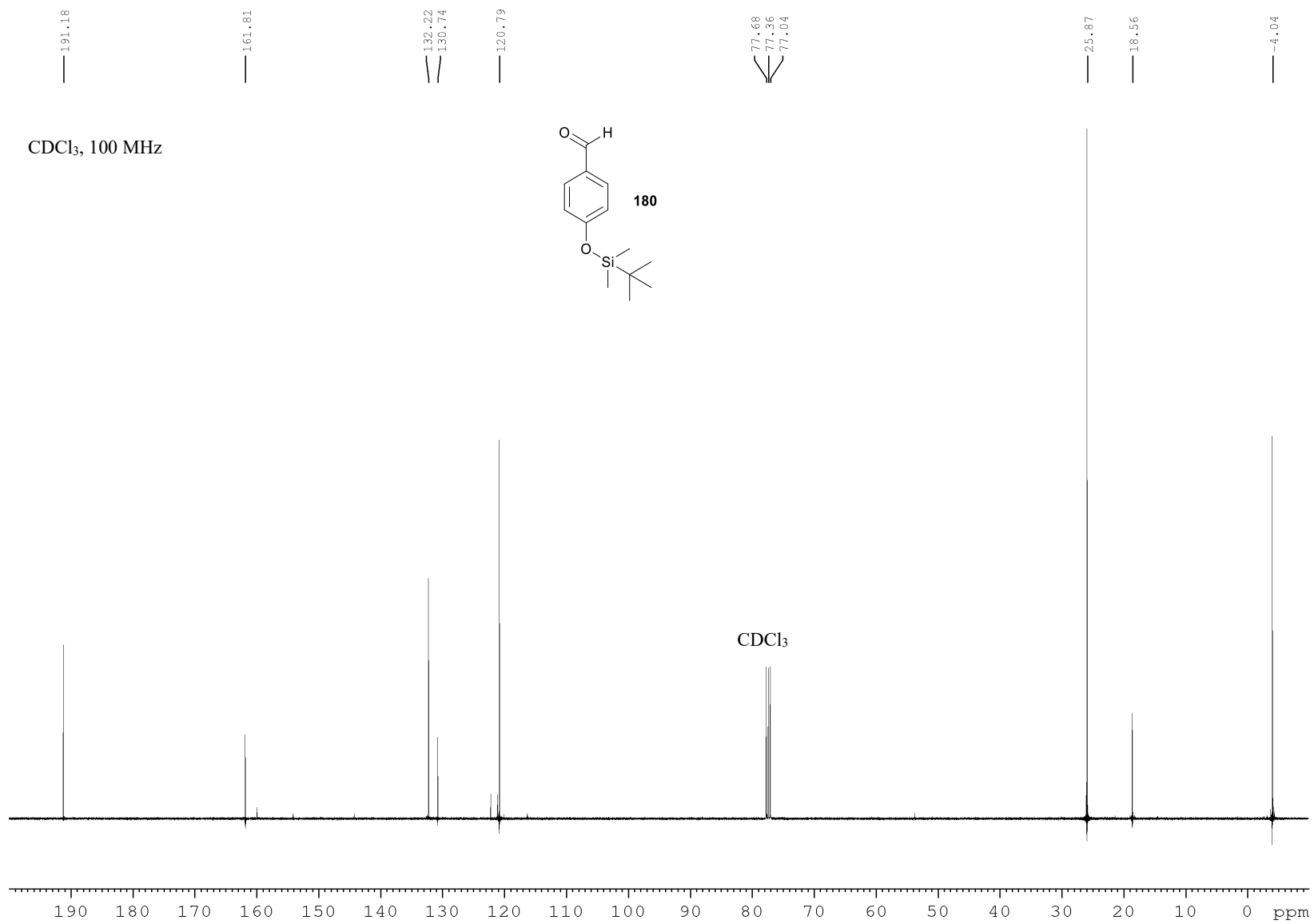


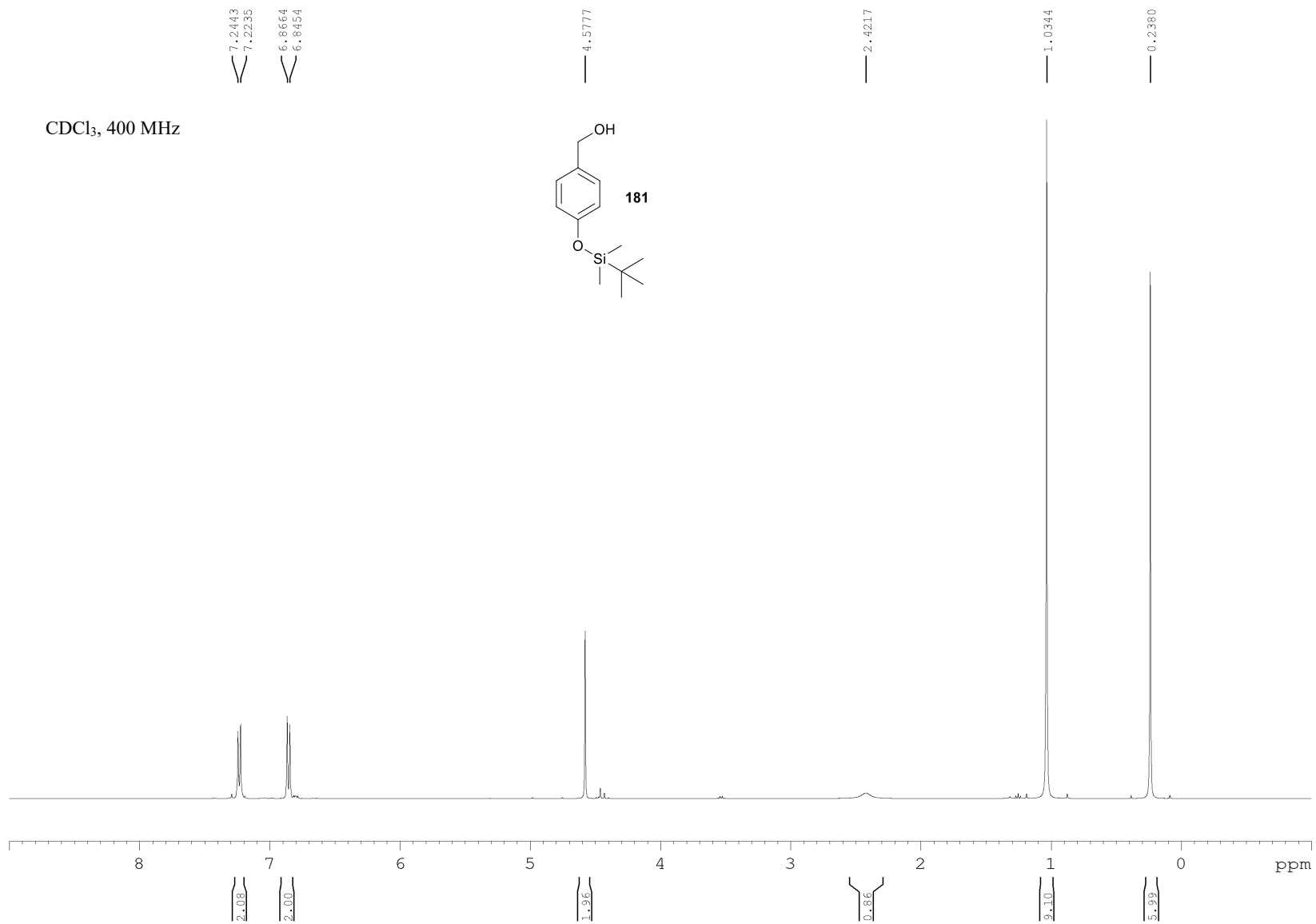


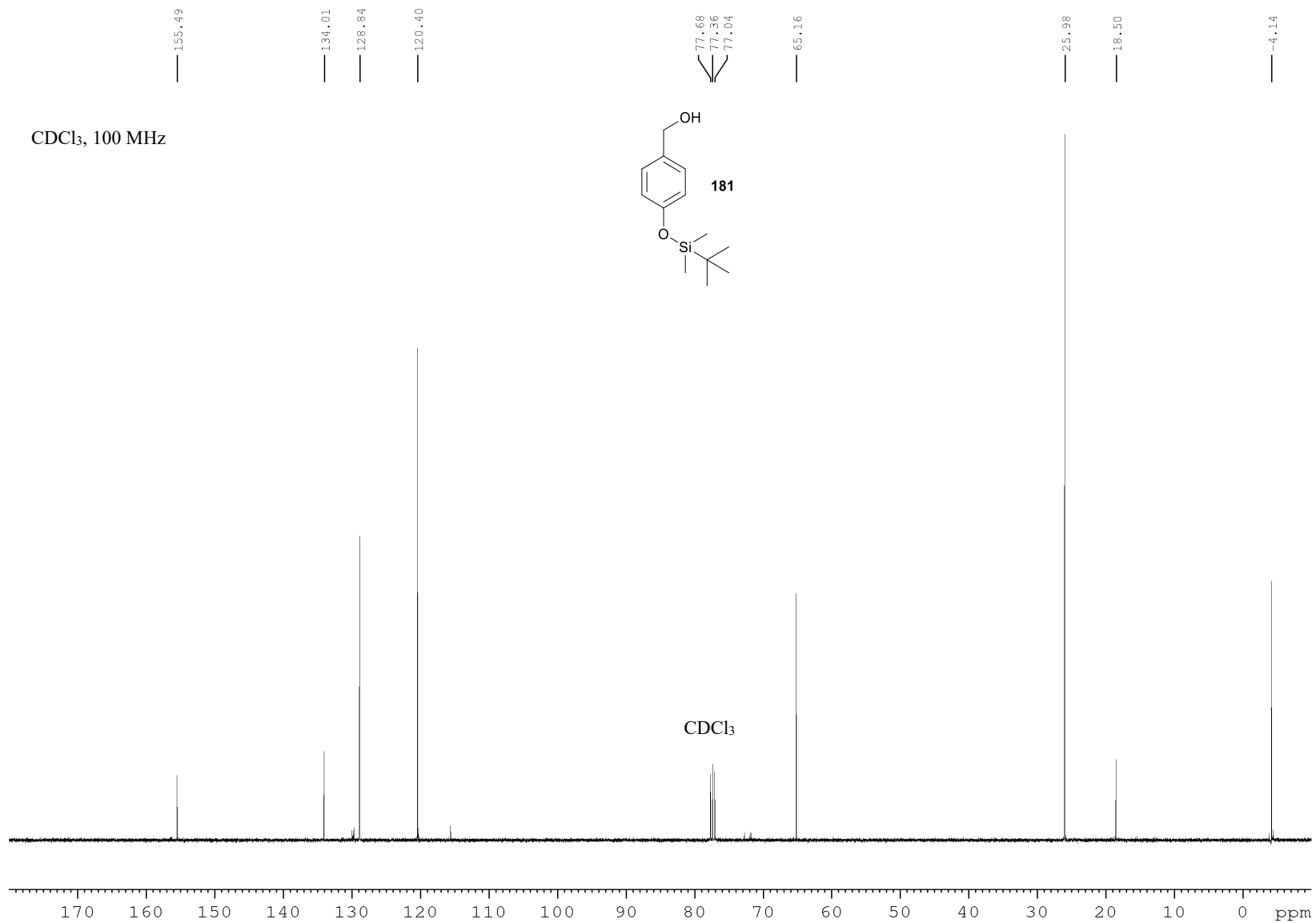


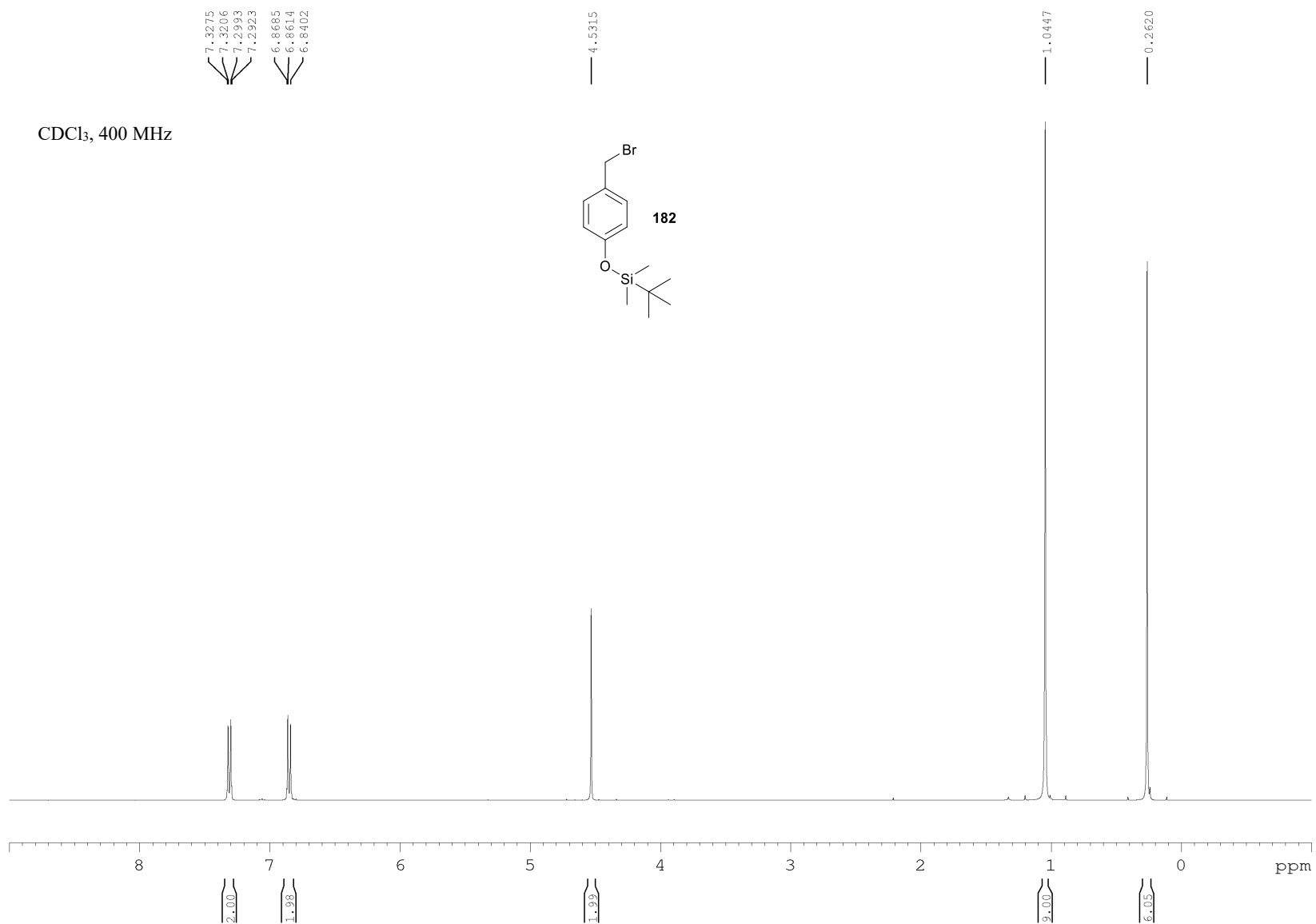


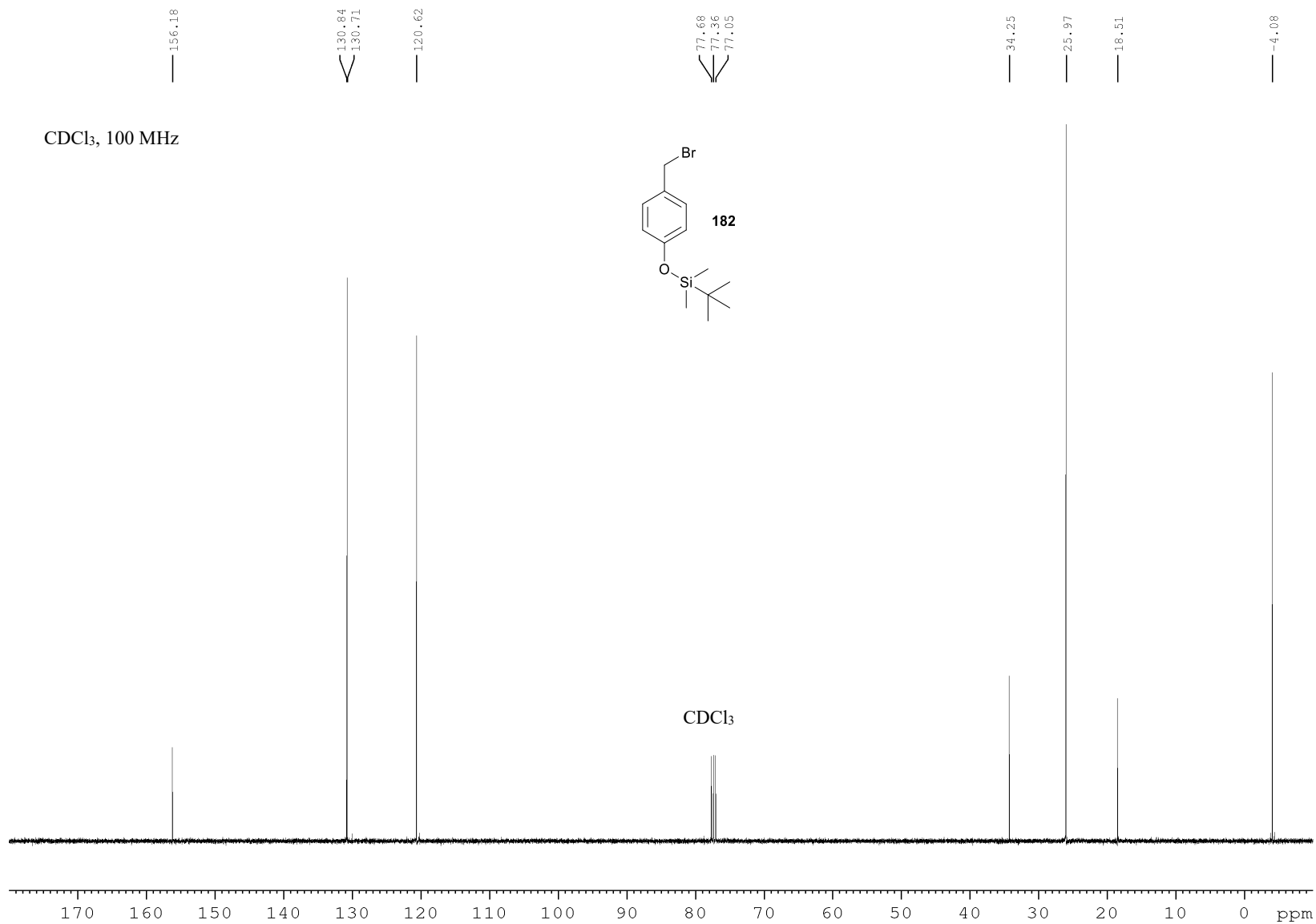


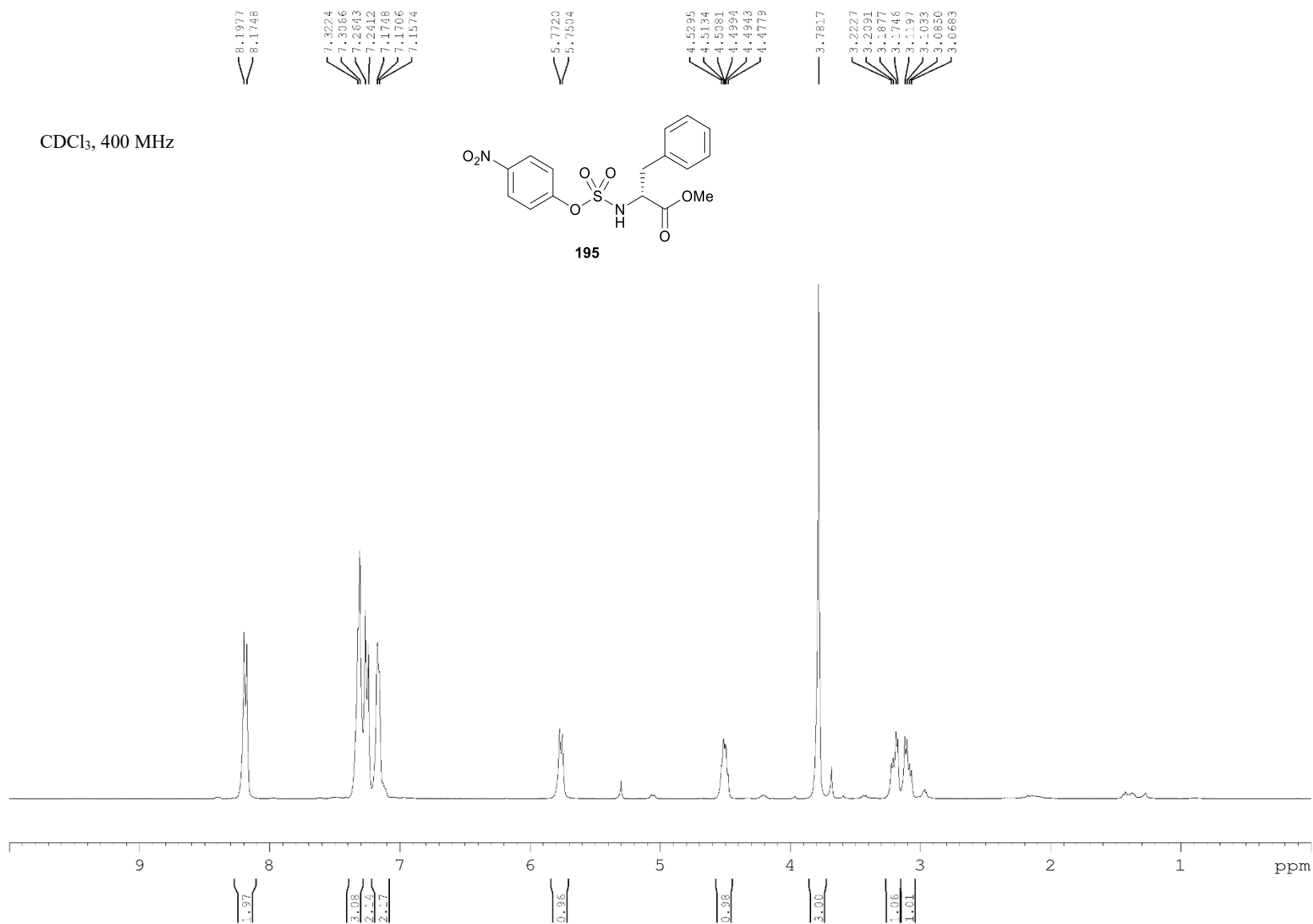


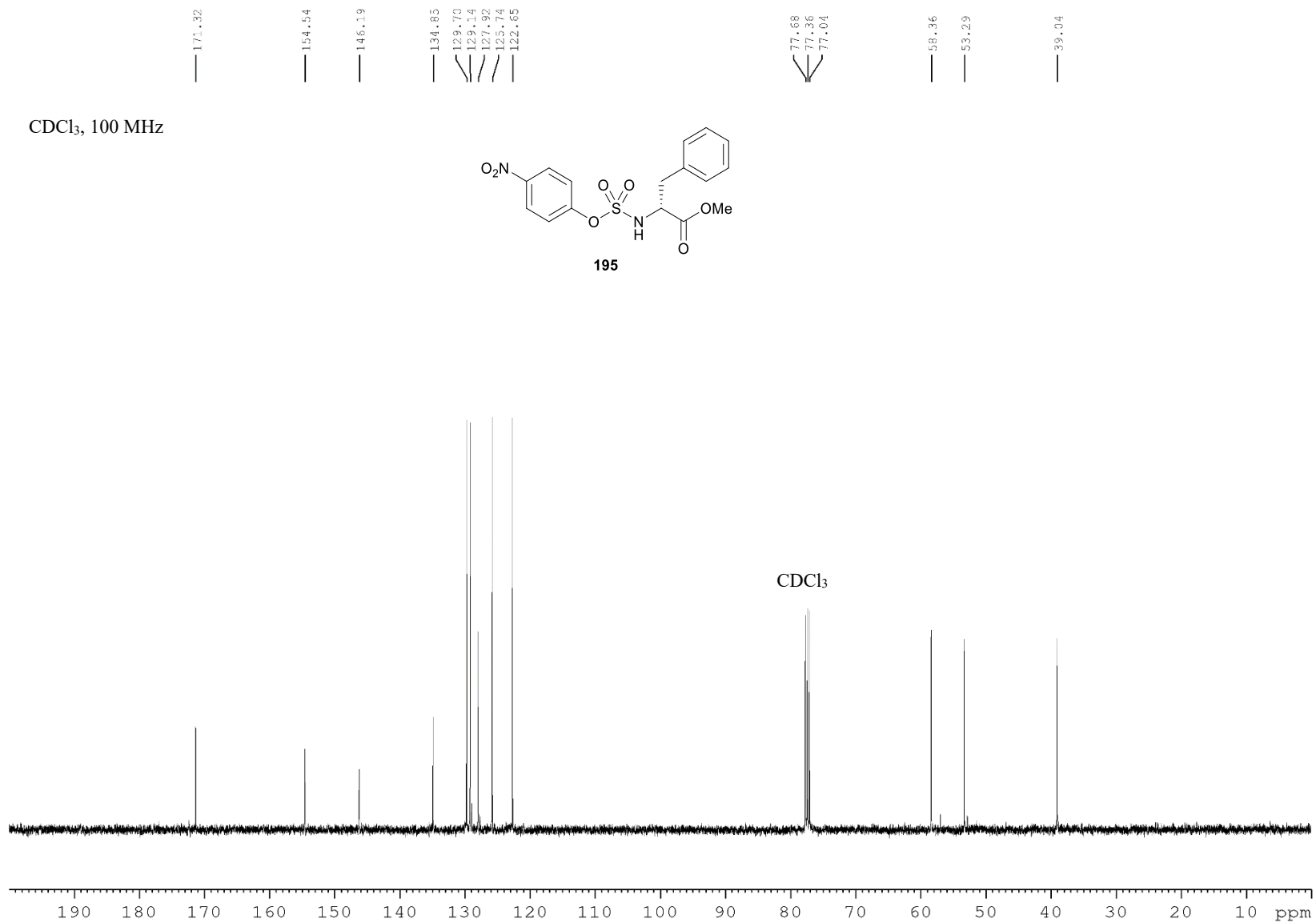
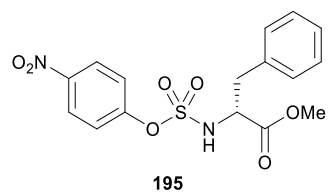


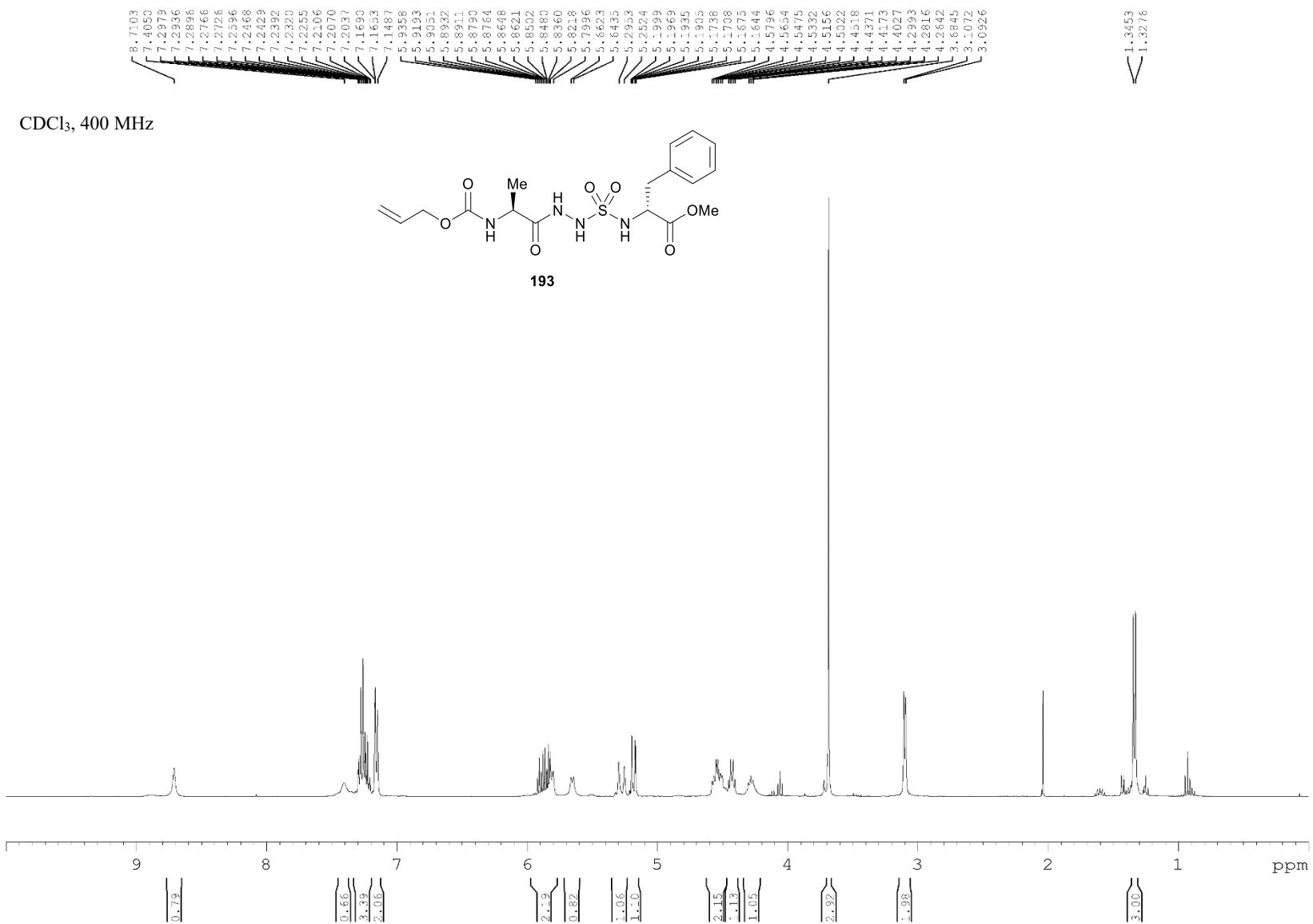


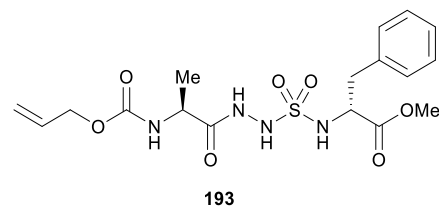
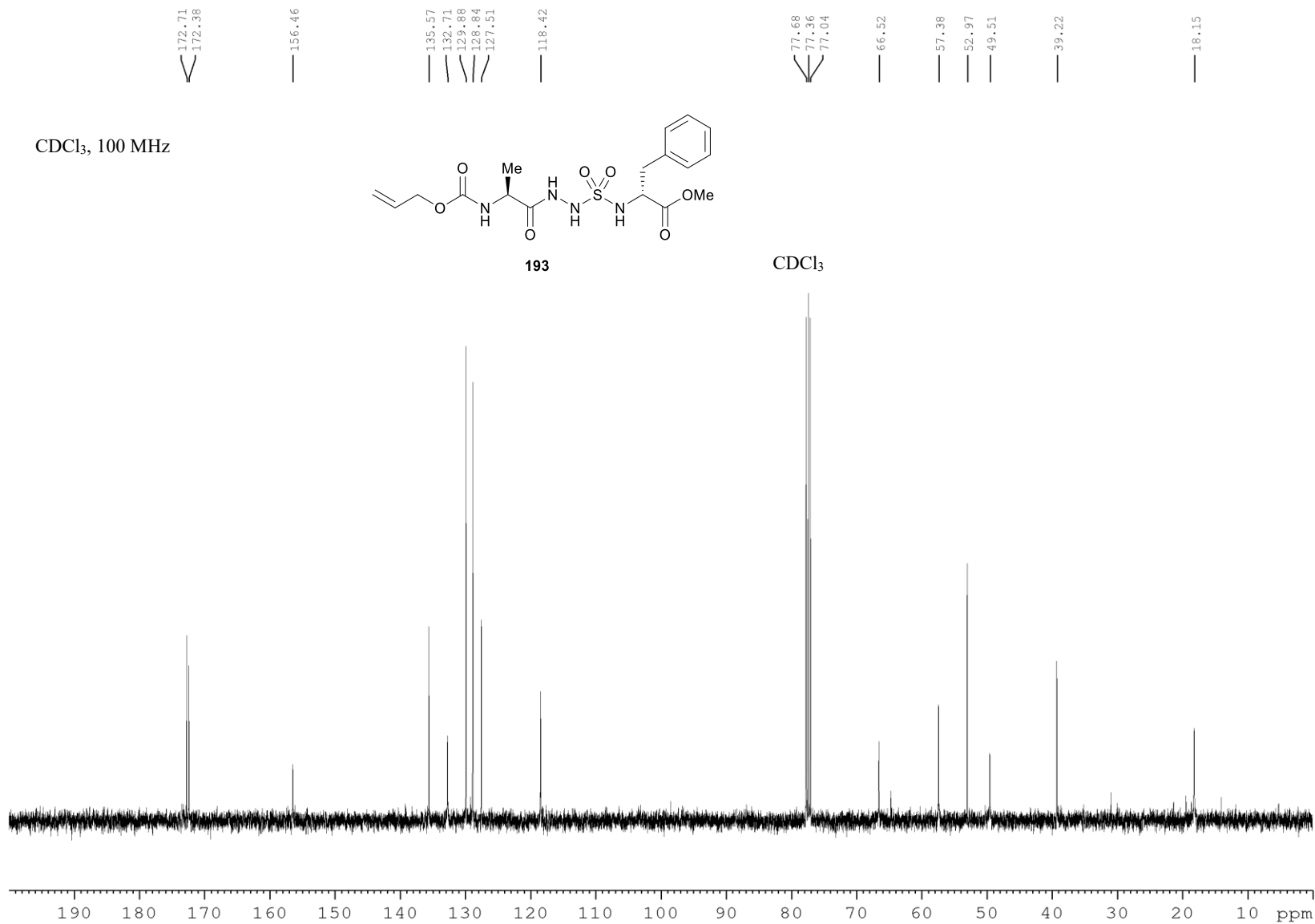






CDCl₃, 100 MHz



CDCl₃, 100 MHzCDCl₃

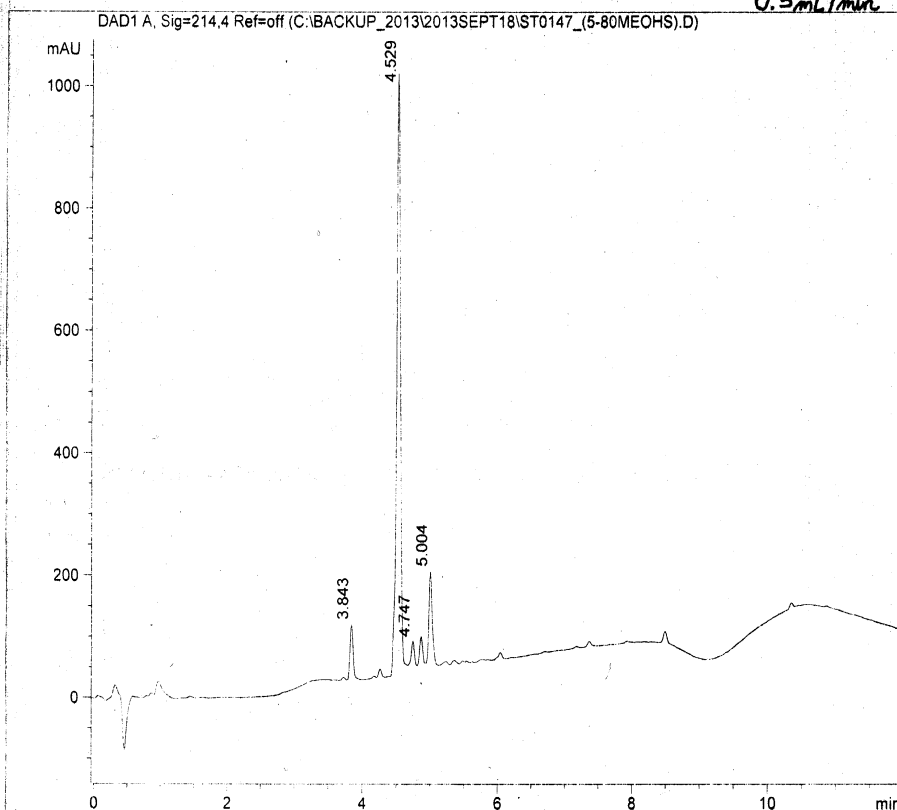
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Date: 18 September 2013

Acq method: C:\CHEM32\1\METHODS\LC_05_80_12MN_MEOH_

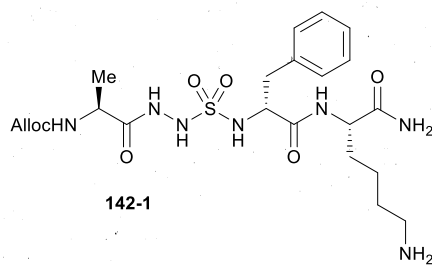
0.5 mL/min



DAD1 A, Sig=214,4 Ref=off

Ret. Time	Height	Area	Area %
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4.529	979.892	3762.439	78.096
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5.004	152.331	527.454	10.948

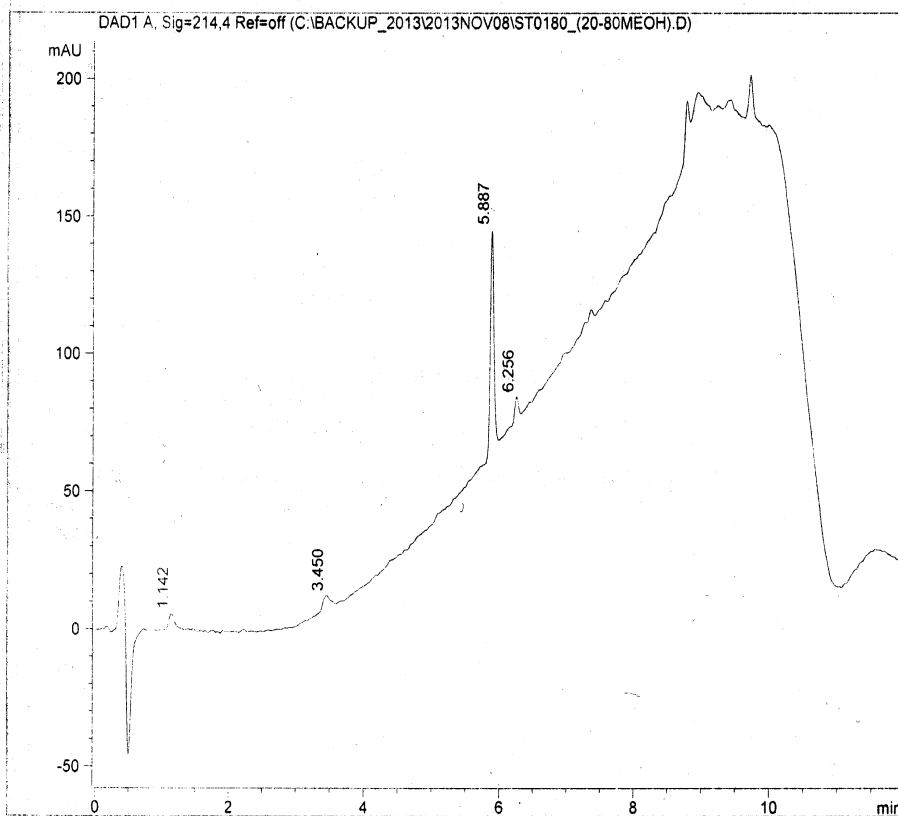
Alloc-A-G-f-K-NH₂



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Date: 8 November 2013

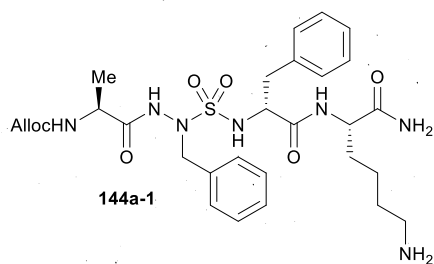
Acq method: C:\CHEM32\1\METHODS\LC_20_80_12MN_MECH_



DAD1 A, Sig=214,4 Ref=off

Ret. Time	Height	Area	Area %
1.142	5.620	31.094	8.003
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5.887	80.399	292.749	75.346
6.256	8.255	28.607	7.363

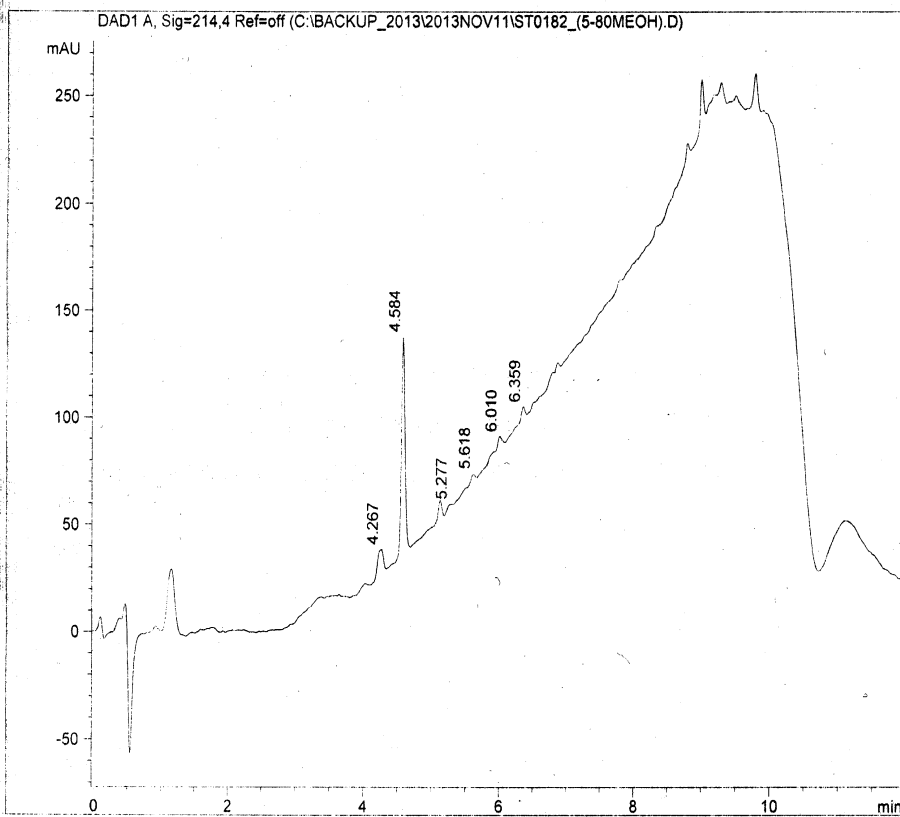
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Date: 11 November 2013

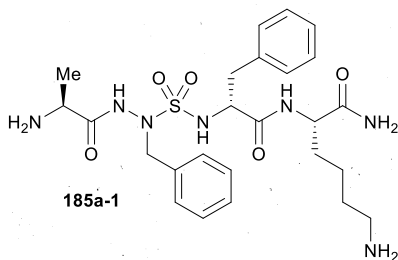
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DAD1 A, Sig=214,4 Ref=off

Ret. Time	Height	Area	Area %
4.267	11.470	65.685	12.390
4.584	101.007	369.393	69.680
5.131	8.568	29.004	5.471
5.277	2.097	9.043	1.706
5.618	3.778	15.567	2.937
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6.359	5.771	19.154	3.613

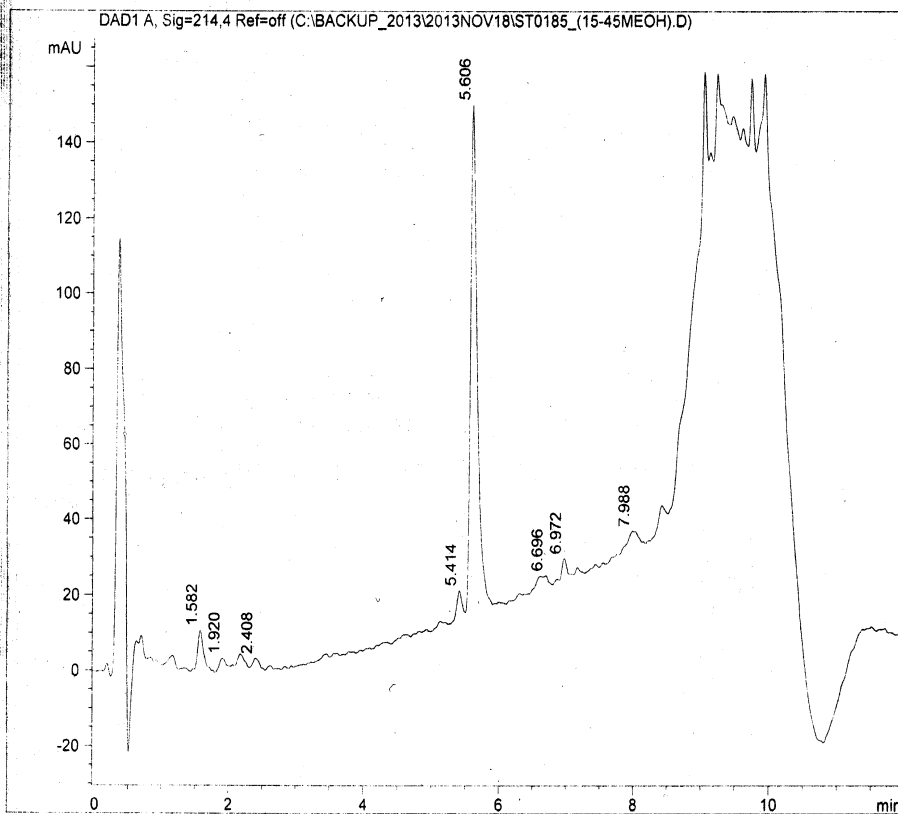
A-A-F-I-K-NH₂



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Date: 18 November 2013

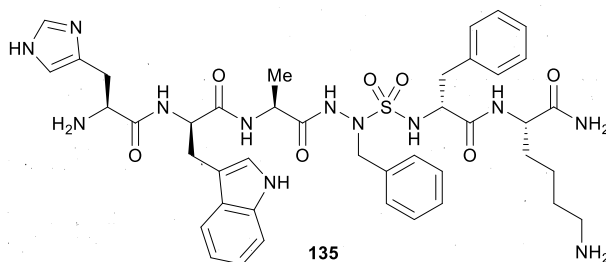
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Ret. Time	Height	Area	Area %
1.582	10.670	64.785	5.507
1.920	2.792	16.023	1.362
2.179	3.429	22.165	1.884
2.408	2.713	16.809	1.429
5.414	6.892	32.963	2.802
5.606	134.109	920.440	78.247
6.696	2.949	35.258	2.997
6.972	5.243	23.045	1.959
7.988	4.310	44.832	3.811

H-w-A-A-F-j-K-NH₂



D-7000 HPLC System Manager Report

Analyzed: 01/11/10 12:40 PM

Reported: 01/11/10 01:47 PM

Processed: 01/11/10 01:47 PM

Data Path: H:\echantillons\DATA\0246\

Processing Method: Grad 05-80%MeOH 30min(40min)ST

System(acquisition): Sys 1

Series:0246

Application: echantillons

Vial Number: 3

Sample Name: SPST-7-1(P2)_5-80MeOH

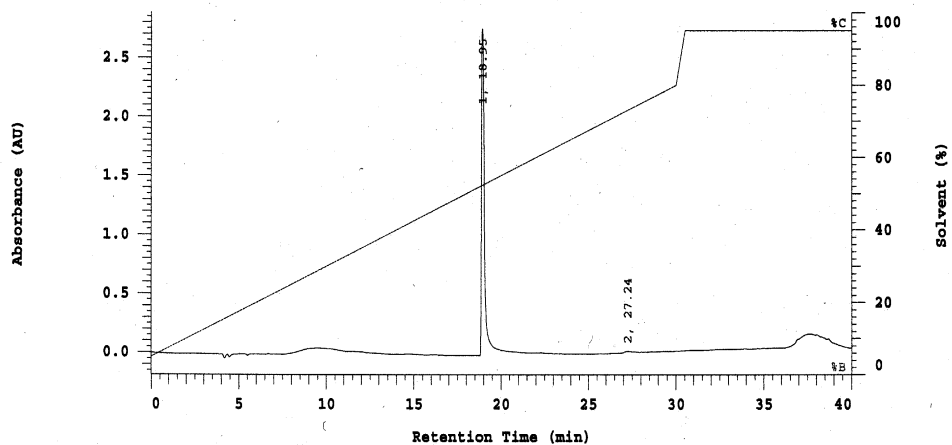
Vial Type: UNK

Injection from this vial: 1 of 1

Volume: 5.0 ul

Sample Description: SPST-7-1(P2)_5-80MeOH

Chrom Type: Fixed WL Chromatogram, 214 nm



Acquisition Method: Grad 05-80%MeOH 30min(40min)ST

Column Type:

Developed by: Lubell

Pump A Type: L-7100

Solvent A: H2O 0.1% FA

Solvent B: MeCN 0.1% FA

Solvent C: MeOH 0.1% FA

Solvent D: Storage H2O/ORG 35/65 no FA

Method Description: grad 5 to 80% MeOH in 30 min, 10 min wash at 95% MeOH

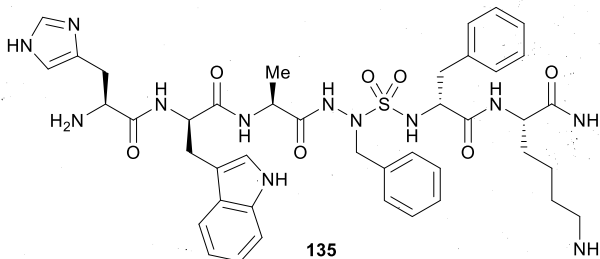
Chrom Type: Fixed WL Chromatogram, 214 nm

Peak Quantitation: AREA

Calculation Method: AREA%

No.	RT	Area	Area %
1	18.95	15485900	98.771
2	27.24	192660	1.229
		15678560	100.000

Peak rejection level: 10000



D-7000 HPLC System Manager Report

Analyzed: 01/11/10 10:55 AM

Reported: 01/11/10 01:48 PM

Processed: 01/11/10 01:45 PM

Data Path: H:\echantillons\DATA\0244\

Processing Method: Grad 05-80%MeCN 30min(40min)ST

System(acquisition): Sys 1

Series:0244

Application: echantillons

Vial Number: 3

Sample Name: SPST-7-1(P2)_5-80MeCN

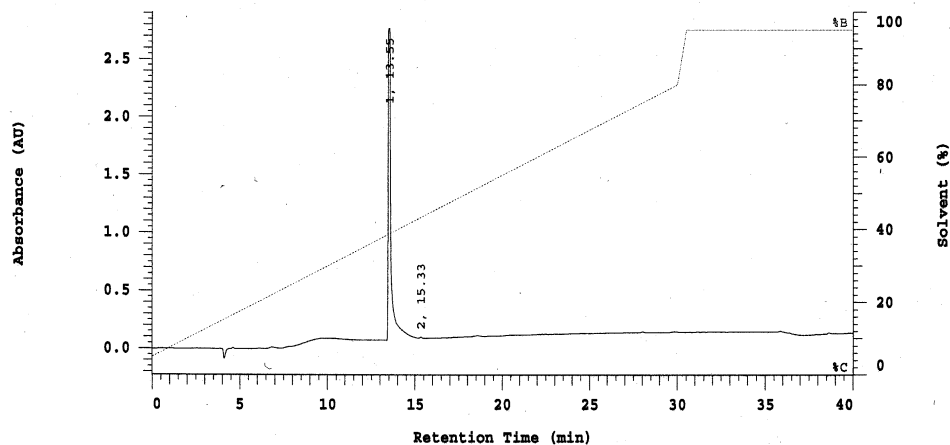
Vial Type: UNK

Injection from this vial: 1 of 1

Volume: 5.0 ul

Sample Description: SPST-7-1(P2)_5-80MeCN

Chrom Type: Fixed WL Chromatogram, 214 nm



Acquisition Method: Grad 05-80%MeCN 30min(40min)ST

Column Type:

Developed by: Lubell

Pump A Type: L-7100

Solvent A: H2O 0.1% FA

Solvent B: MeCN 0.1% FA

Solvent C: MeOH 0.1% FA

Solvent D: Storage H2O/ORG 35/65 no FA

Method Description: grad 5 to 80% MeCN in 30 min, 10 min wash at 95% MeCN

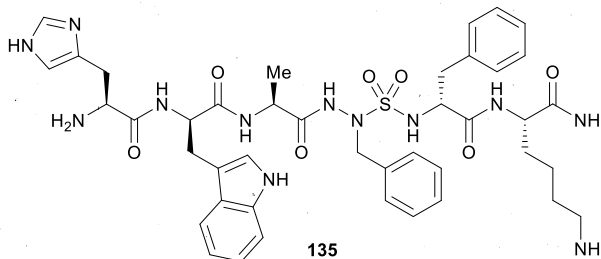
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Peak Quantitation: AREA

Calculation Method: AREA%

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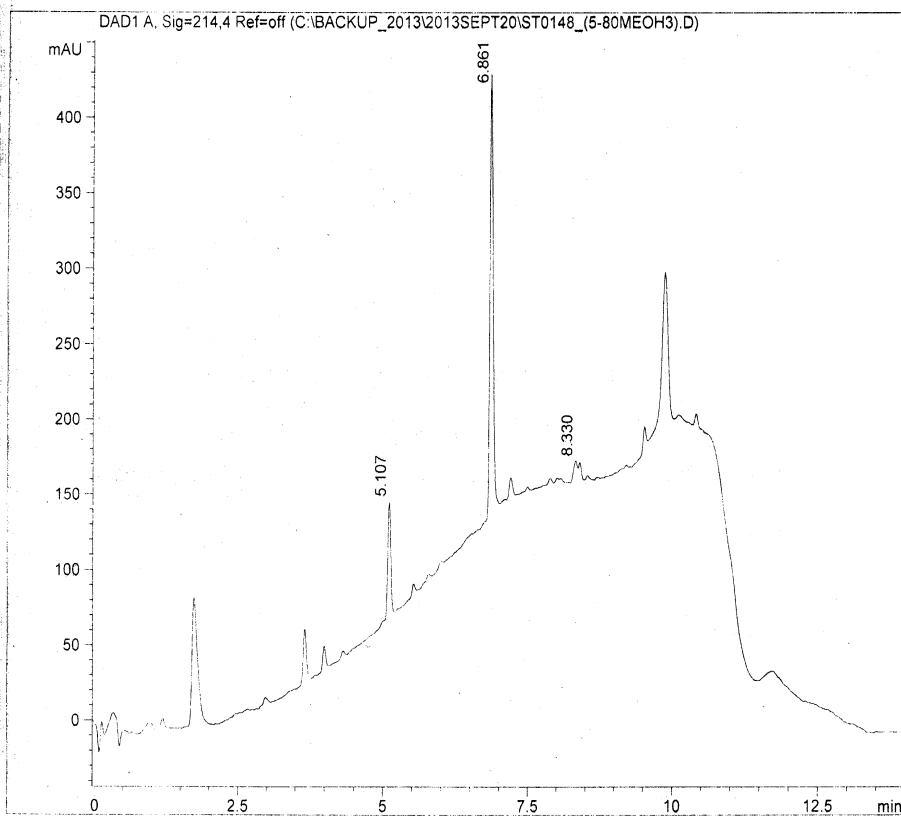
Peak rejection level: 10000



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Date: 20 September 2013

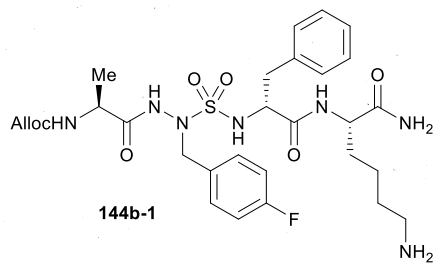
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DAD1 A, Sig=214,4 Ref=off

Ret. Time	Height	Area	Area %
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6.861	295.947	1151.118	75.109
8.330	14.771	115.910	7.563

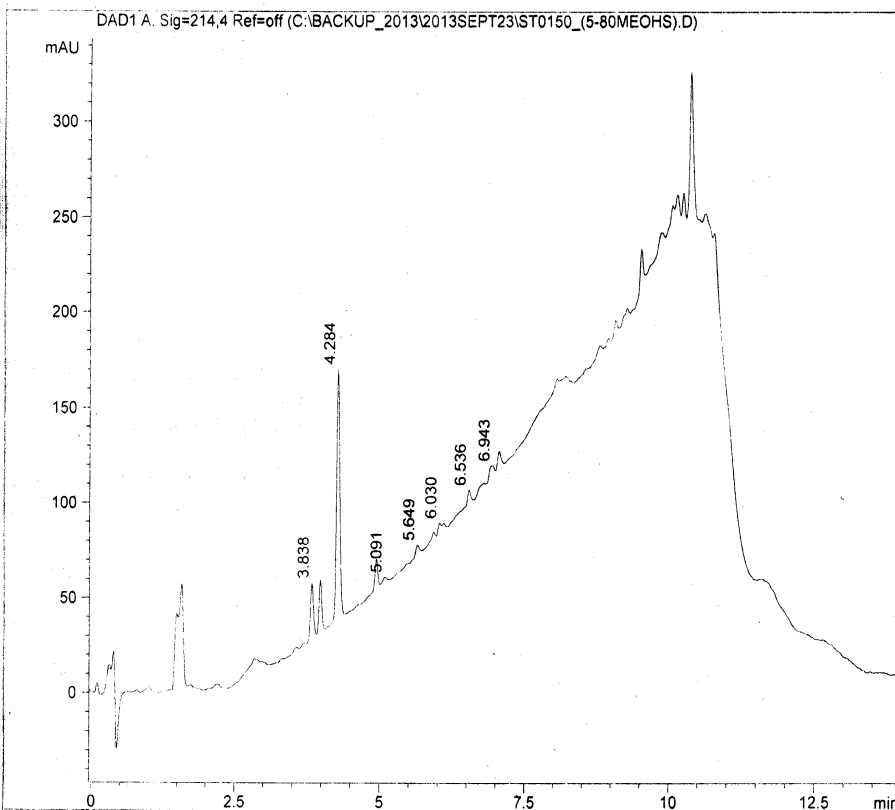
Alloc-A-A₆G-₁-K-NH₂
Alloc-A-A₆F(4F)-₁-K-NH₂
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Date: 23 September 2013

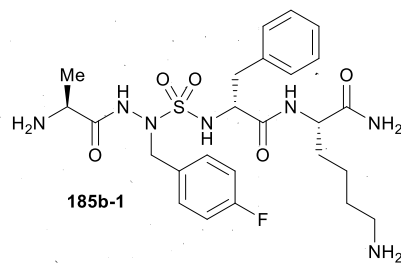
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DAD1 A, Sig=214,4 Ref=off

Ret. Time	Height	Area	Area %
3.838	29.255	102.843	10.995
3.985	27.560	90.503	9.676
4.284	131.594	508.474	54.362
4.944	15.444	50.025	5.348
5.091	3.378	17.532	1.874
5.649	4.593	16.791	1.795
5.928	3.550	13.897	1.486
6.030	5.322	30.296	3.239
6.536	7.291	25.182	2.692
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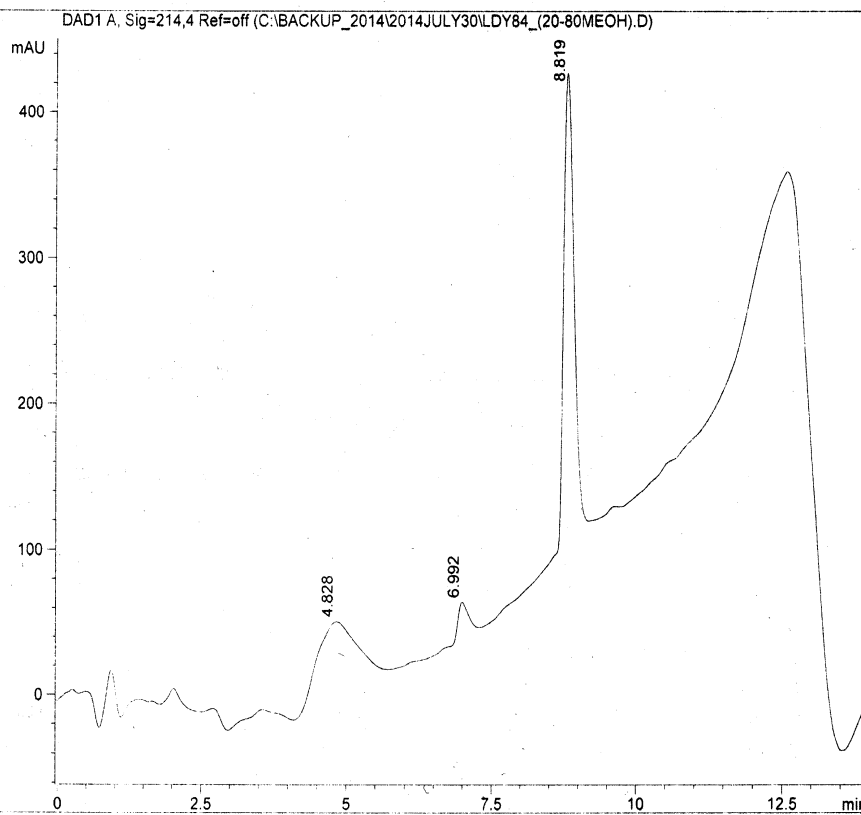
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Date: 31 July 2014

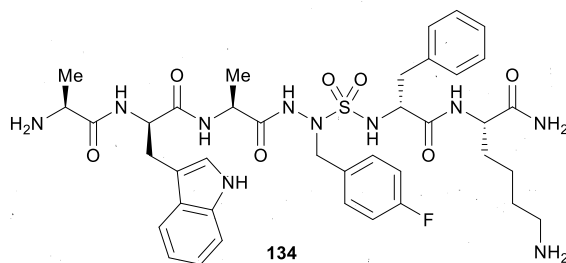
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Ret. Time	Height	Area	Area %
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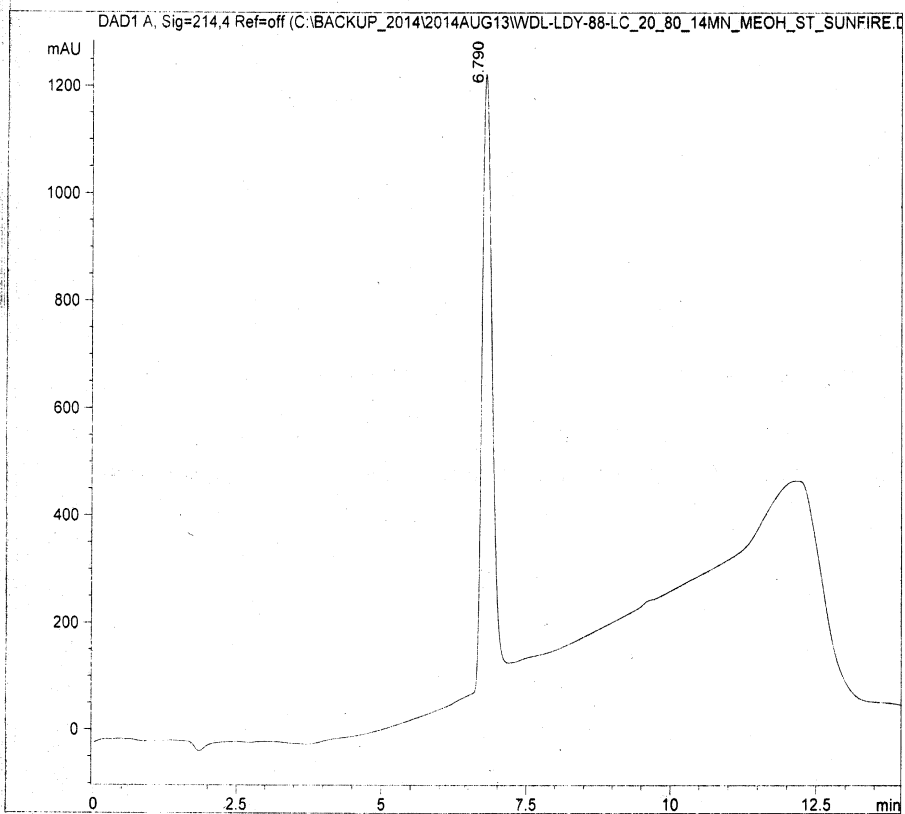
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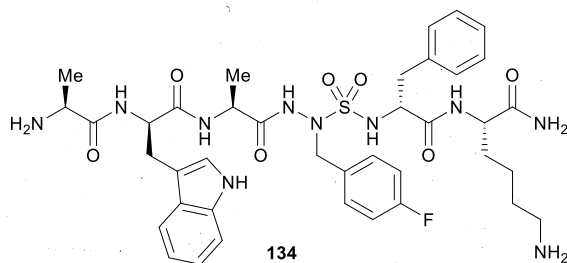
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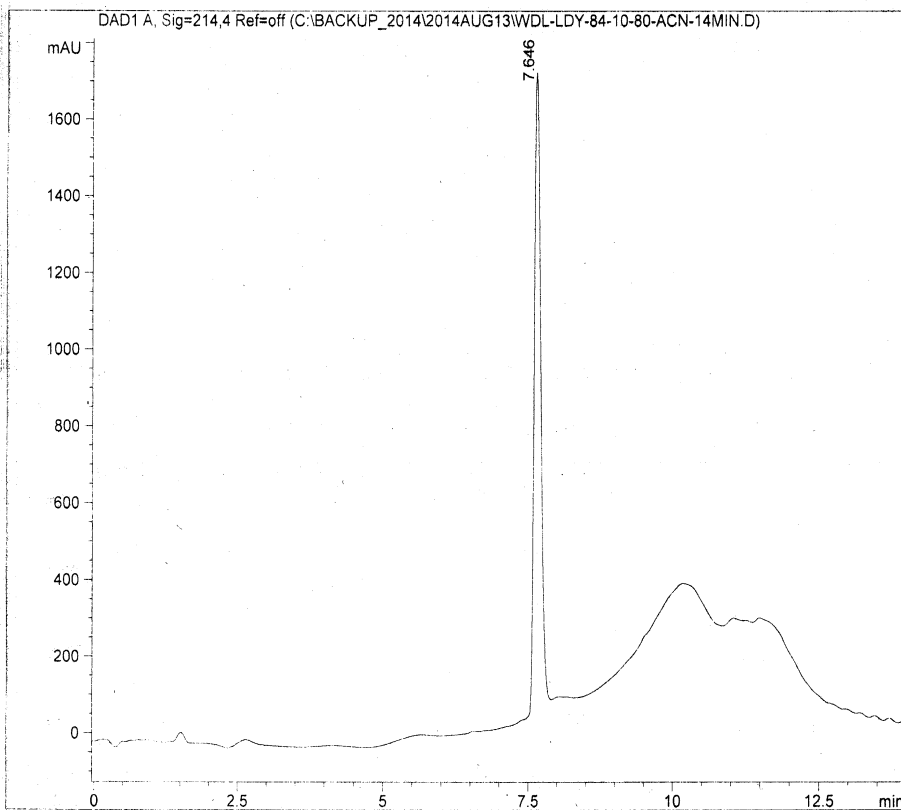
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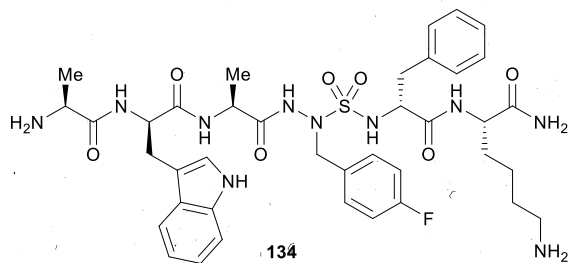
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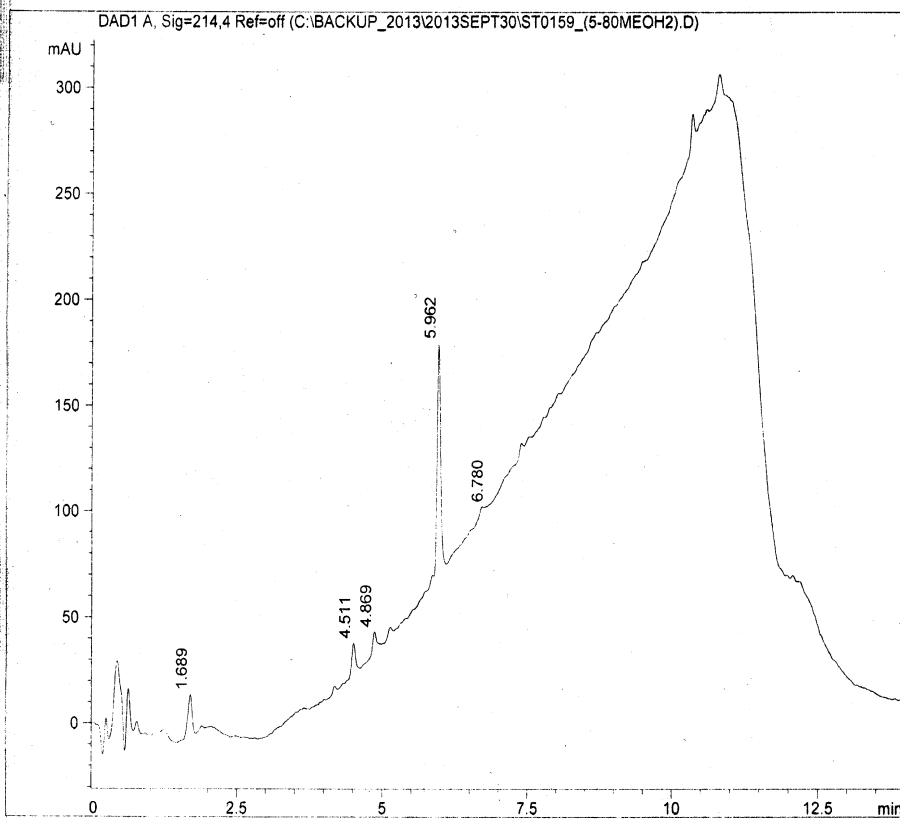
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Date: 30 September 2013.

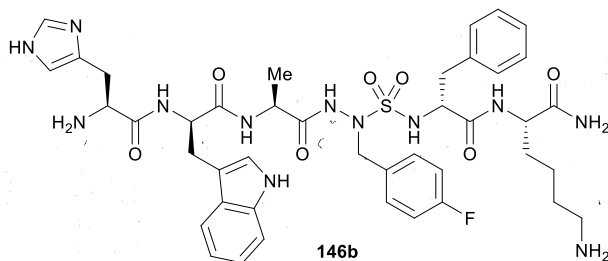
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DAD1 A, Sig=214,4 Ref=off

Ret. Time	Height	Area	Area %
1.689	19.618	100.595	14.688
4.511	14.422	59.982	8.758
4.869	9.950	46.795	6.833
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5.962	107.530	434.741	63.478
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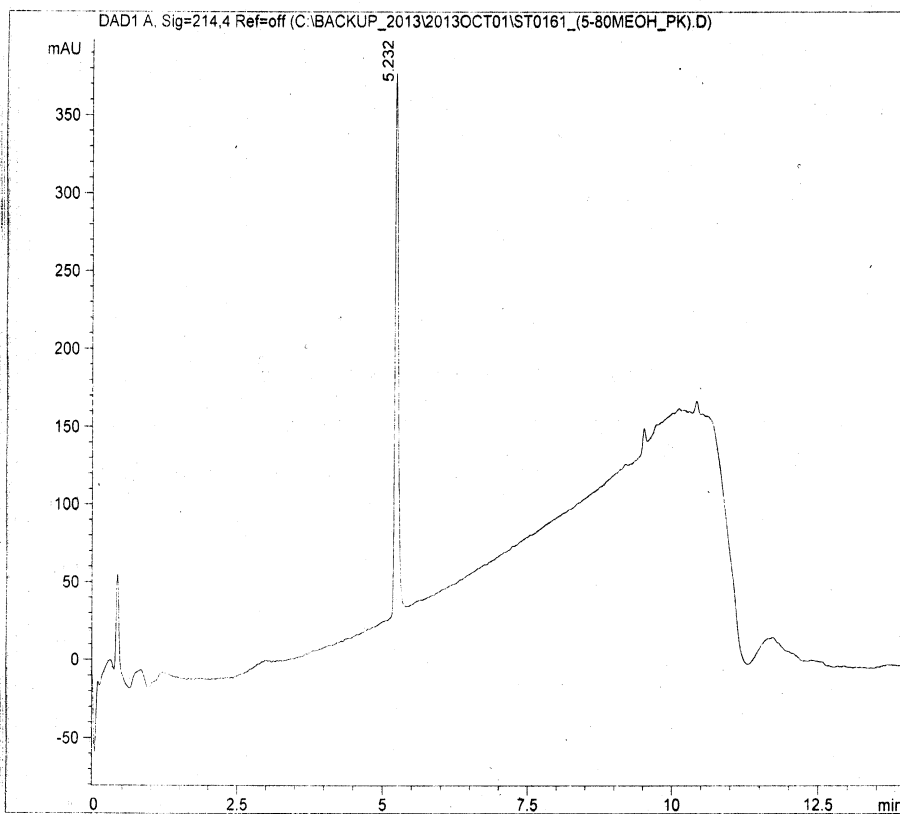
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Date: 4 October 2013

Acq method: C:\CHEM32\1\METHODS\LC_05_80_14MN_MEOR_

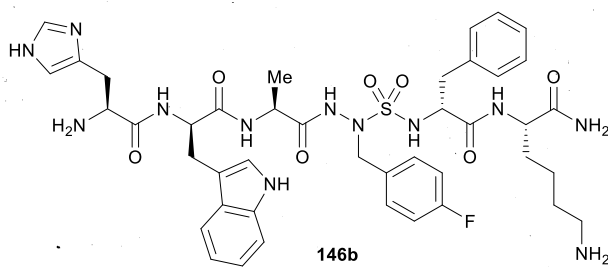


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Ret. Time	Height	Area	Area %
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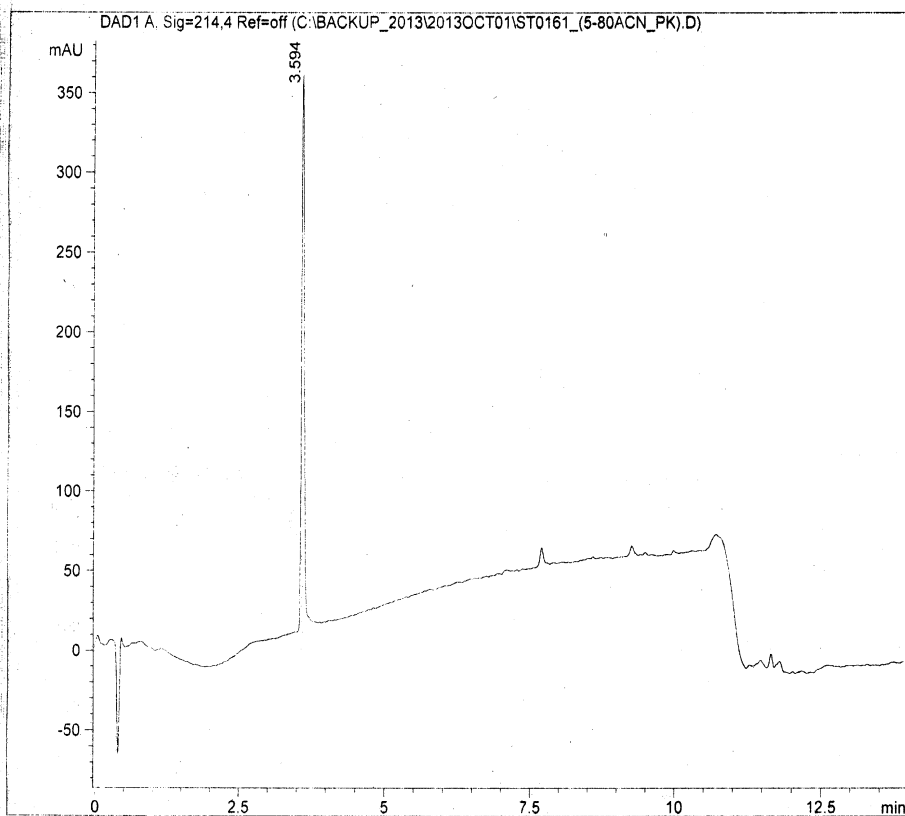
H-w-A-A₂F(4-F)- γ -k-NH₂



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Date: 4 October 2013

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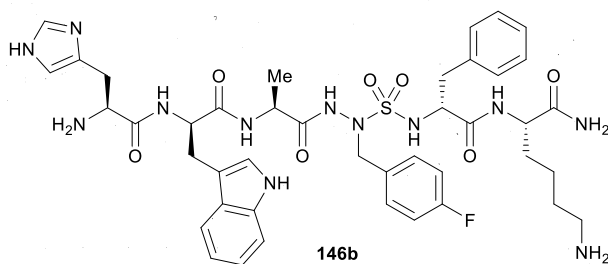


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Ret. Time	Height	Area	Area %
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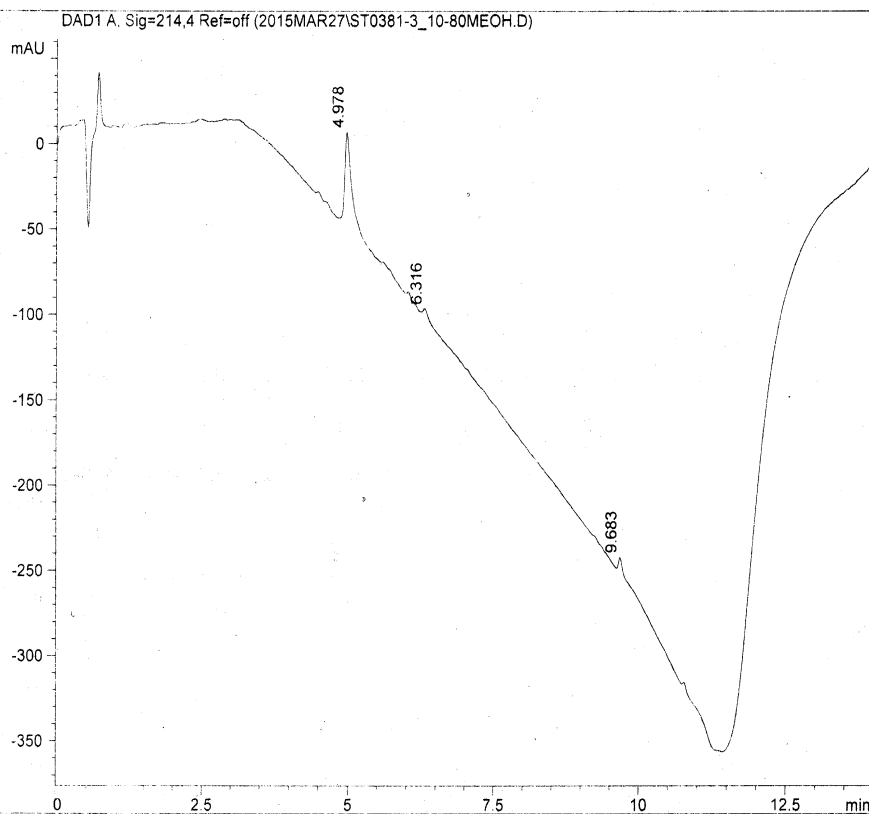
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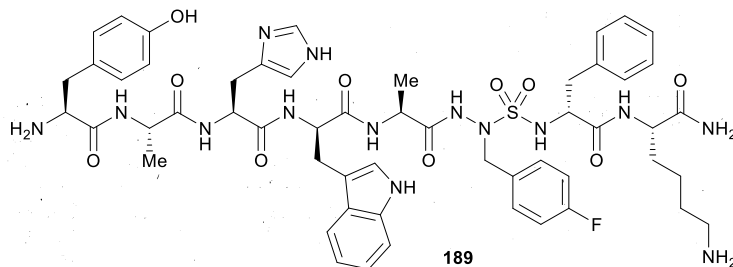
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DAD1 A, Sig=214,4 Ref=off

Ret. Time	Height	Area	Area %
4.978	56.509	509.474	85.874
6.036	2.889	11.373	1.917
6.316	5.489	33.571	5.658
9.683	9.101	38.864	6.551

Y-A-H-w-A-A-F(4F)-I-K-NH₂

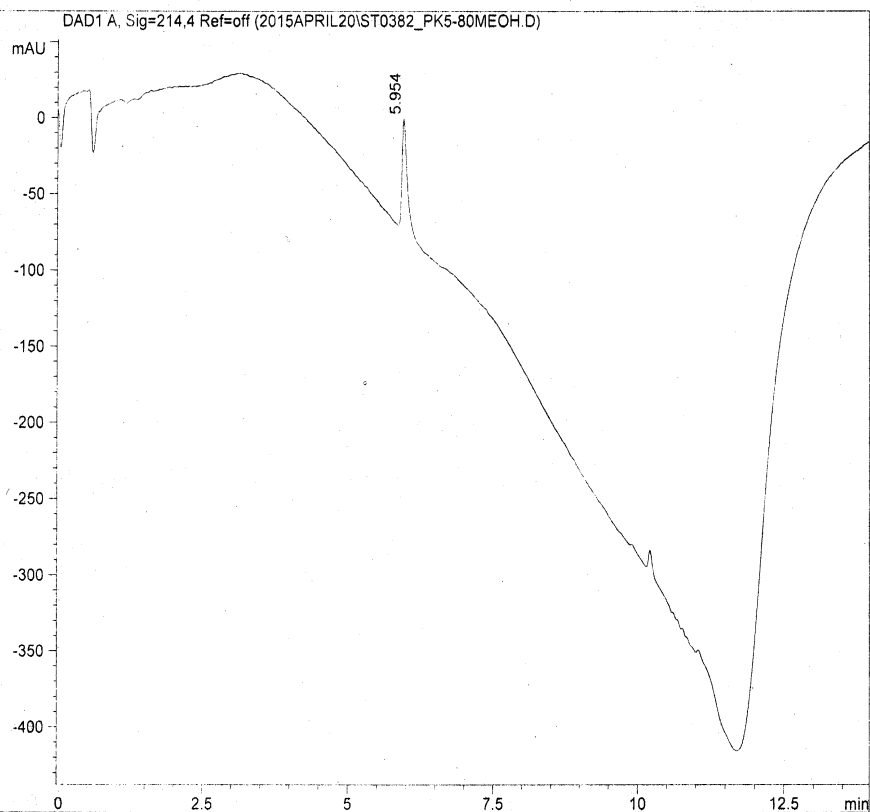


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Date: 20 April 2015

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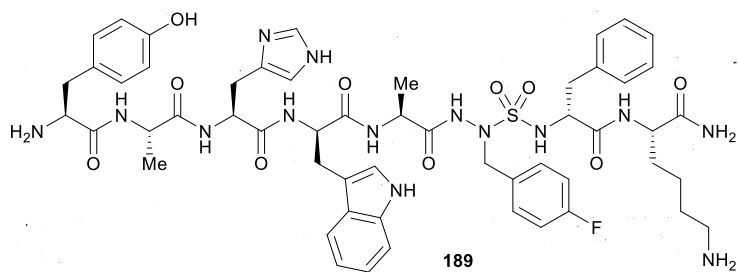


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Ret. Time	Height	Area	Area %
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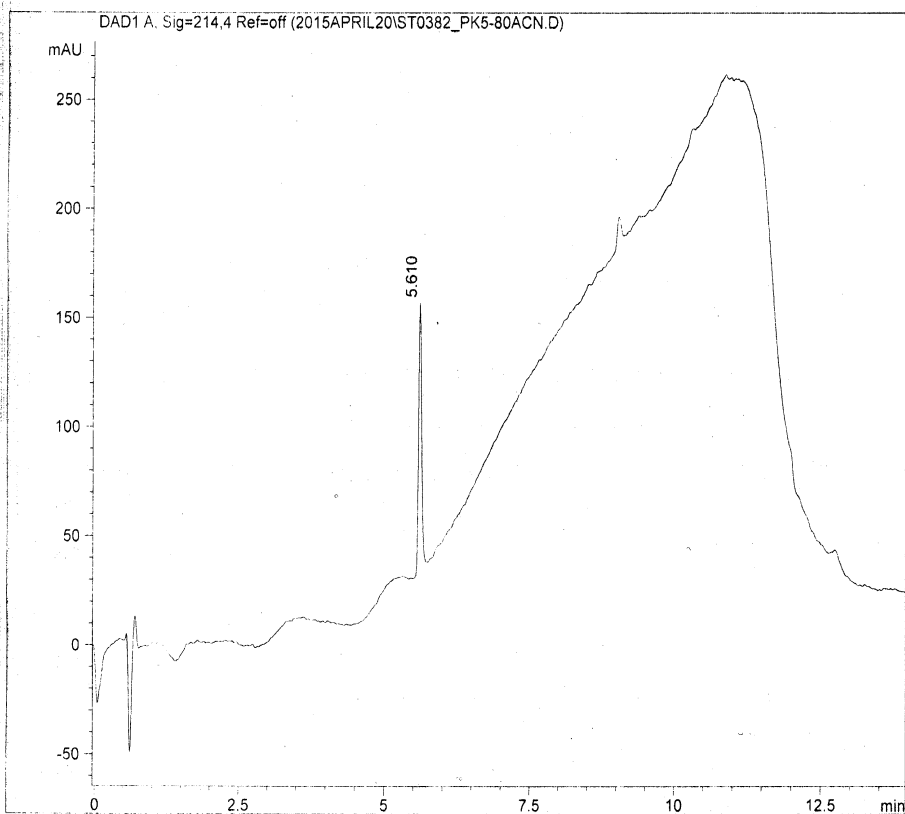
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Date: 20 April 2015

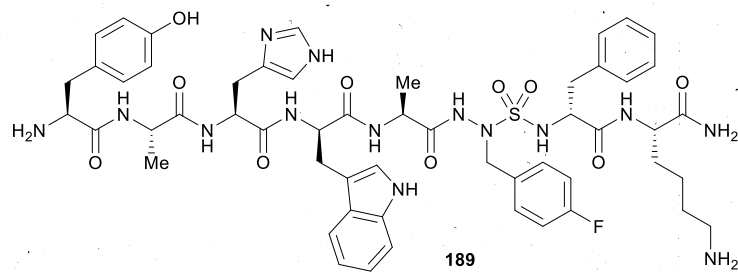
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Ret. Time	Height	Area	Area %
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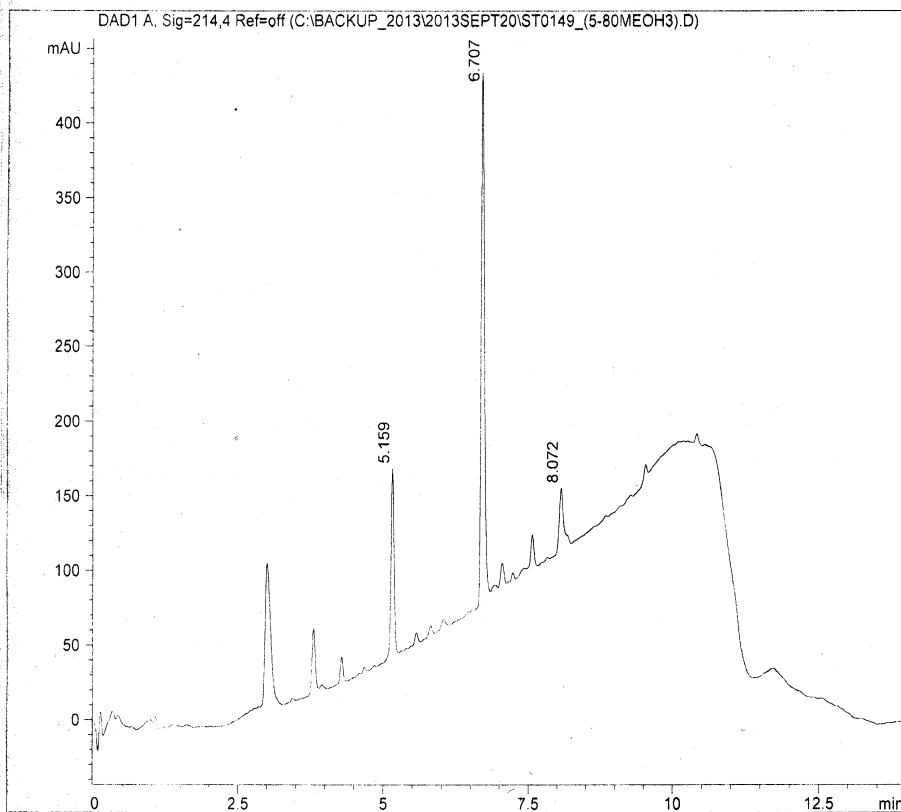
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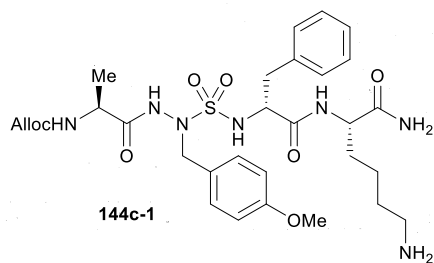
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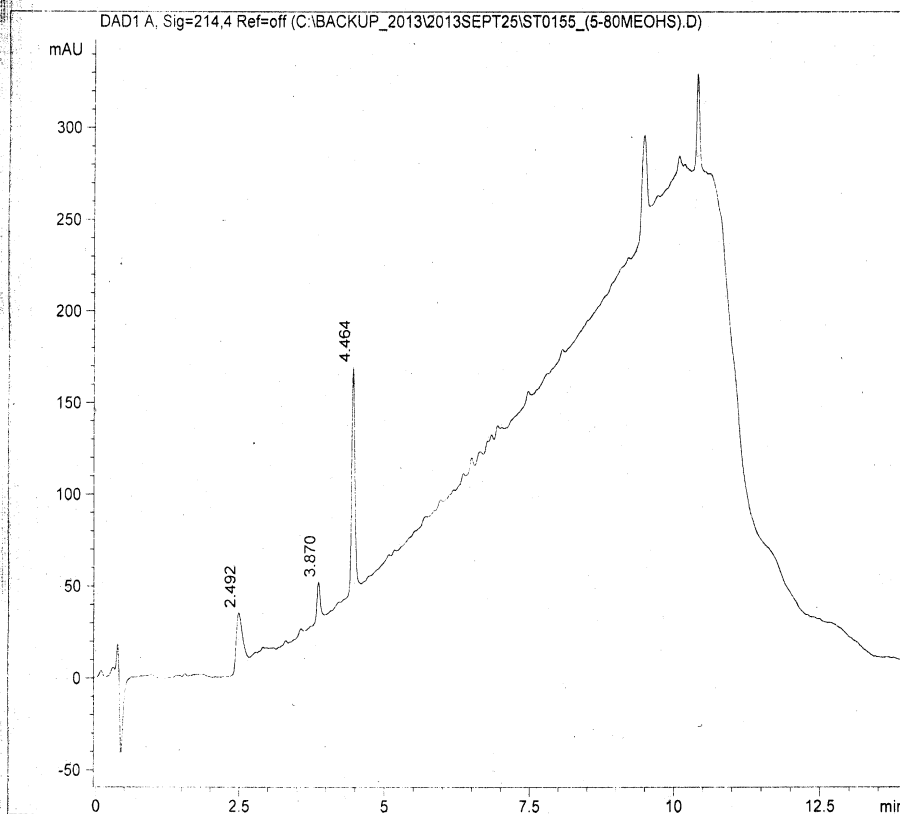
Ret. Time	Height	Area	Area %	
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6.707	356.143	1372.814	66.341	Alloc-A-AaF(4-MeO)-f-K-NH ₂
8.072	42.767	236.112	11.410	Alloc-A-AaF(4-MeO)-(4-MeO-Bn)-f-K-NH ₂



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Date: 26 September 2013.

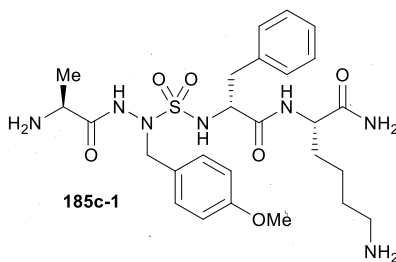
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Ret. Time	Height	Area	Area %
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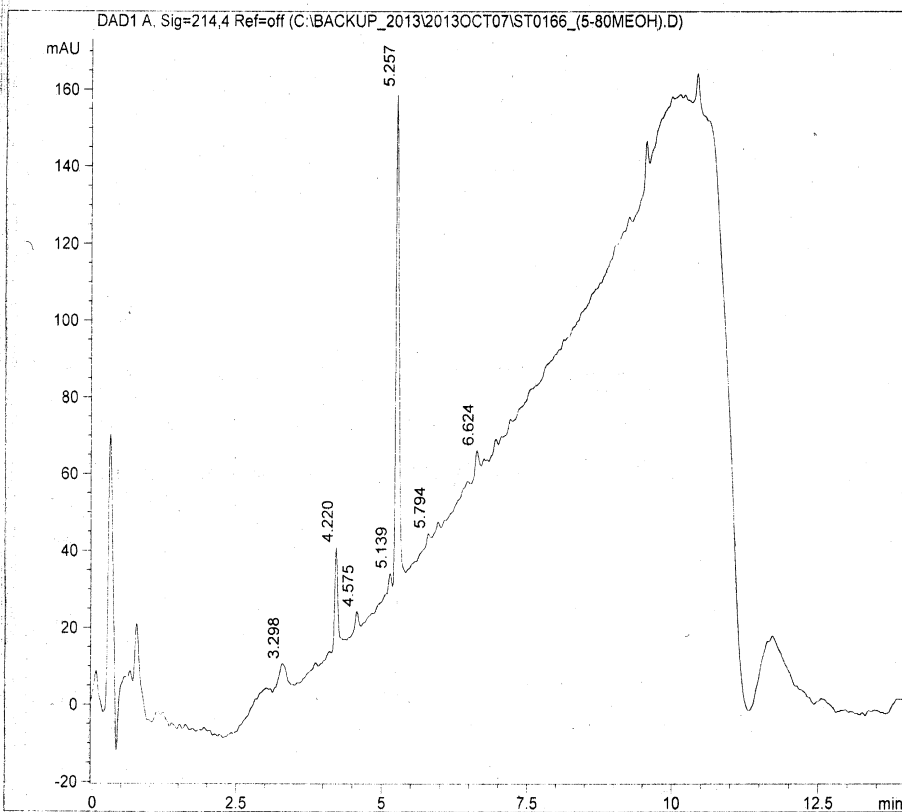
A-AaF(4-MeO)-f-K-NH₂



Data File name: C:\BACKUP_2013\2013OCT07\ST0166_(5-80MEOH).D

Date: 7 October 2013

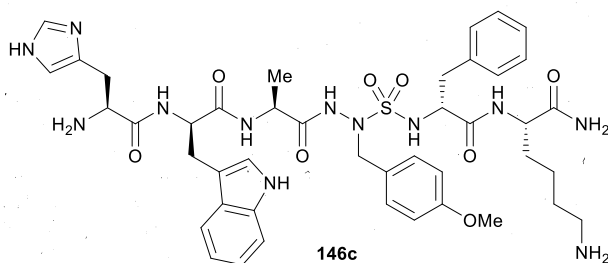
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DAD1 A, Sig=214,4 Ref=off

Ret. Time	Height	Area	Area %
3.298	5.993	48.868	7.121
4.220	26.335	94.489	13.769
4.575	5.125	20.313	2.960
5.139	3.784	10.598	1.544
5.257	127.253	478.339	69.704
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6.624	5.750	21.283	3.101

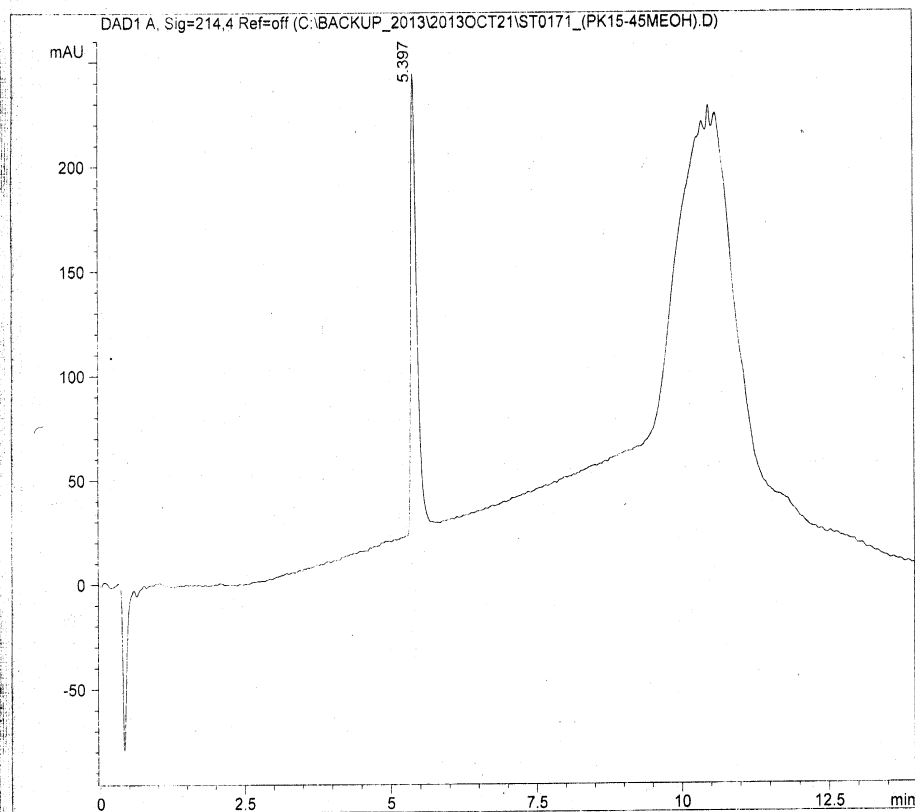
H-w-A-A₂F(4-MeO)- β -K-NH₂



Data File name: C:\BACKUP_2013\2013OCT21\ST0171_(PK15-45MEOH).D

Date: 21 October 2013

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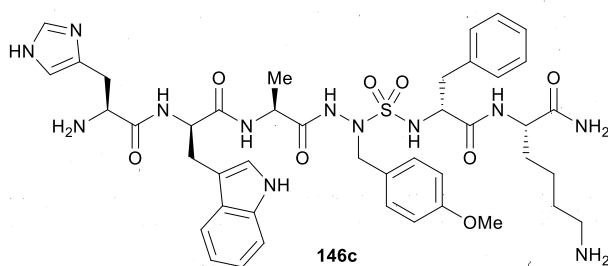


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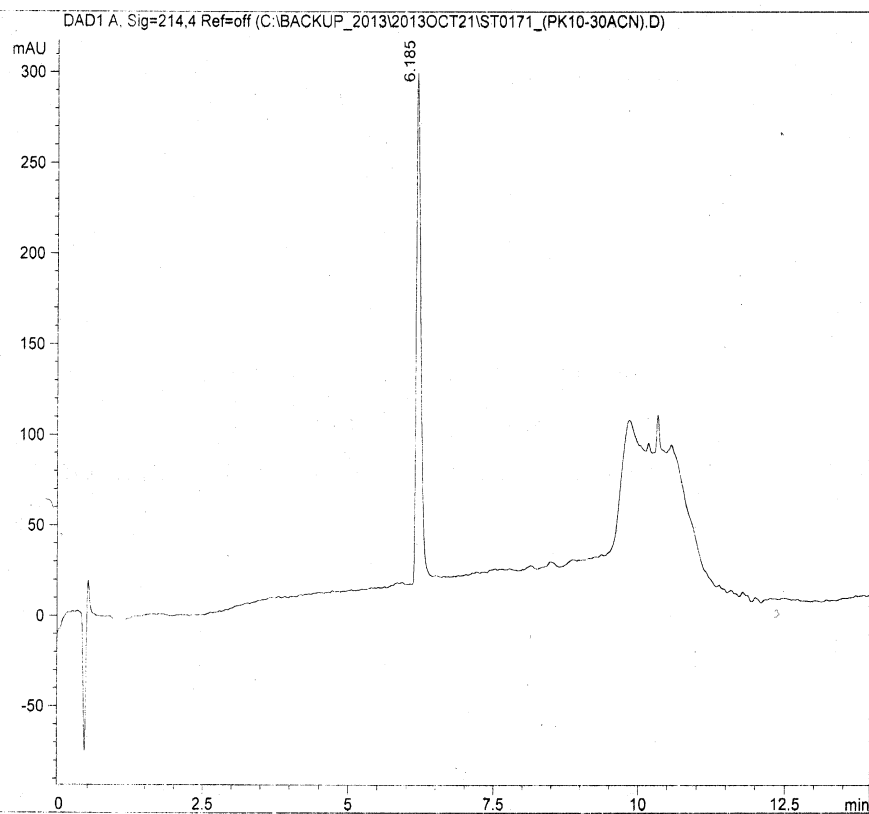
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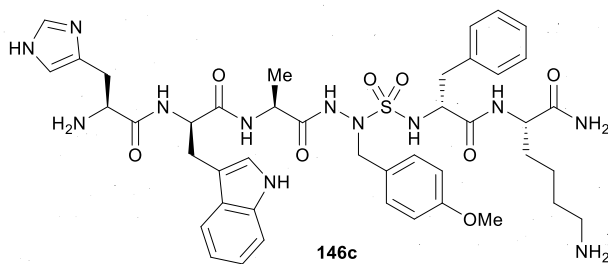
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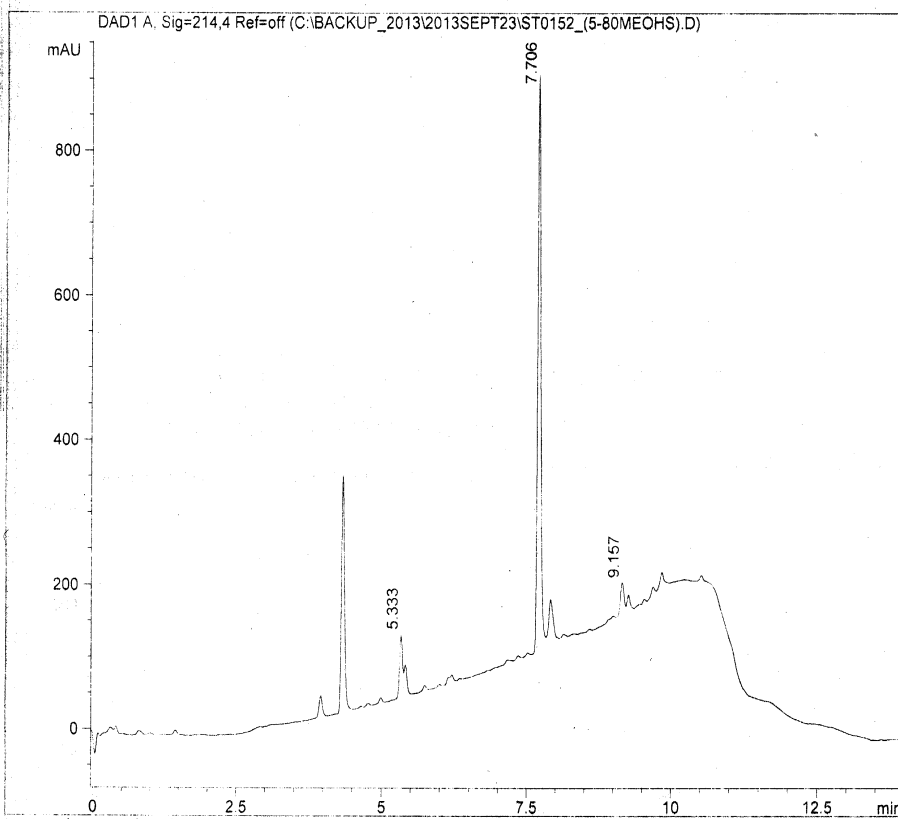
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Date: 24 September 2013

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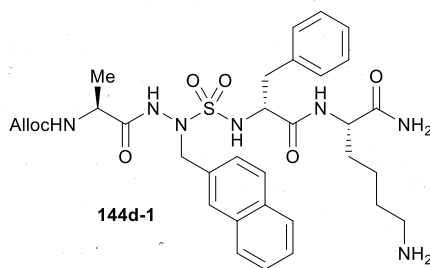
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7.706	794.198	2952.758	80.767
9.157	44.028	267.133	7.307

Alloc-A-AAG-f-K-NH₂

Alloc-A-AaA(2-Naphthyl)-f-K-NH₂

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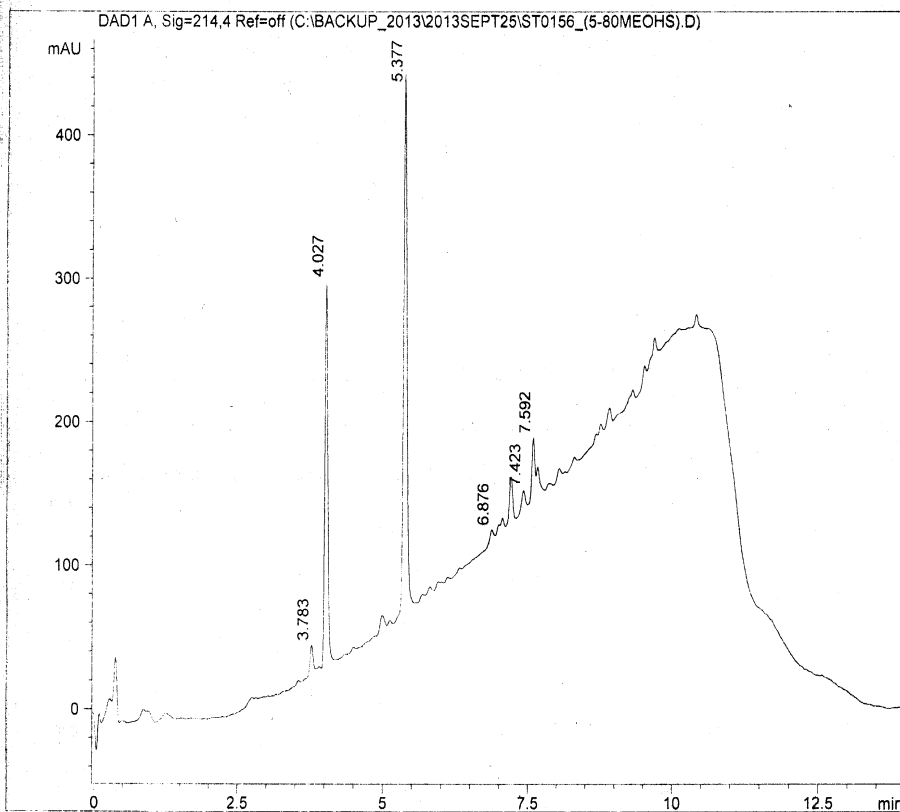


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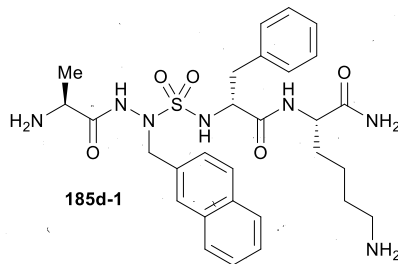
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Ret. Time	Height	Area	Area %
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4.027	267.518	932.891	31.261
5.377	378.030	1527.307	51.179
6.876	7.988	33.276	1.115
7.059	7.409	37.910	1.270
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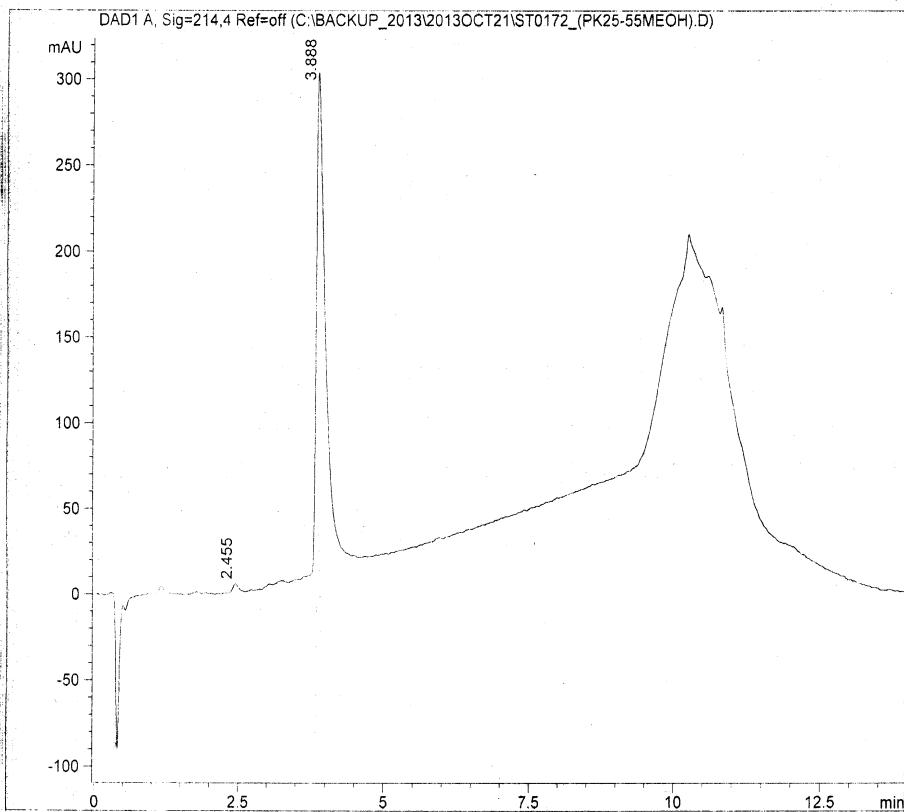
A-AsA(2-Naphthyl)-f-K-NH₂



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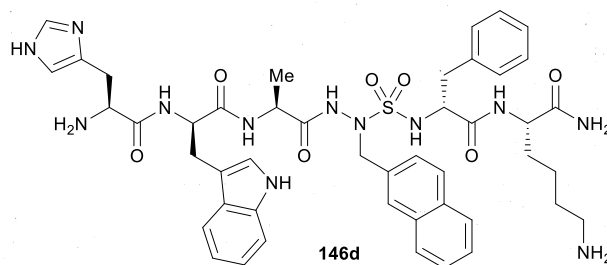
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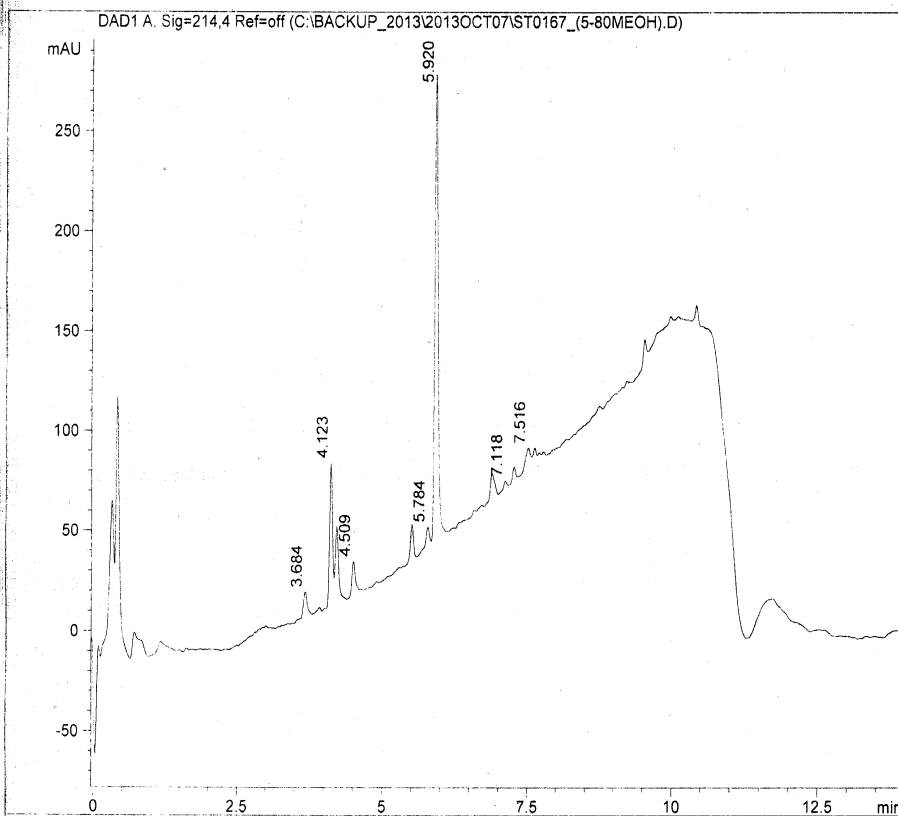
H-w-A-AsA(2-Naphthyl)-f-K-NH₂



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Date: 7 October 2013

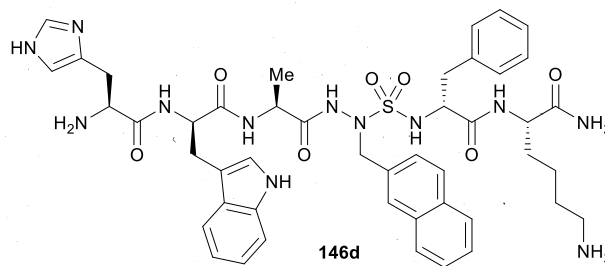
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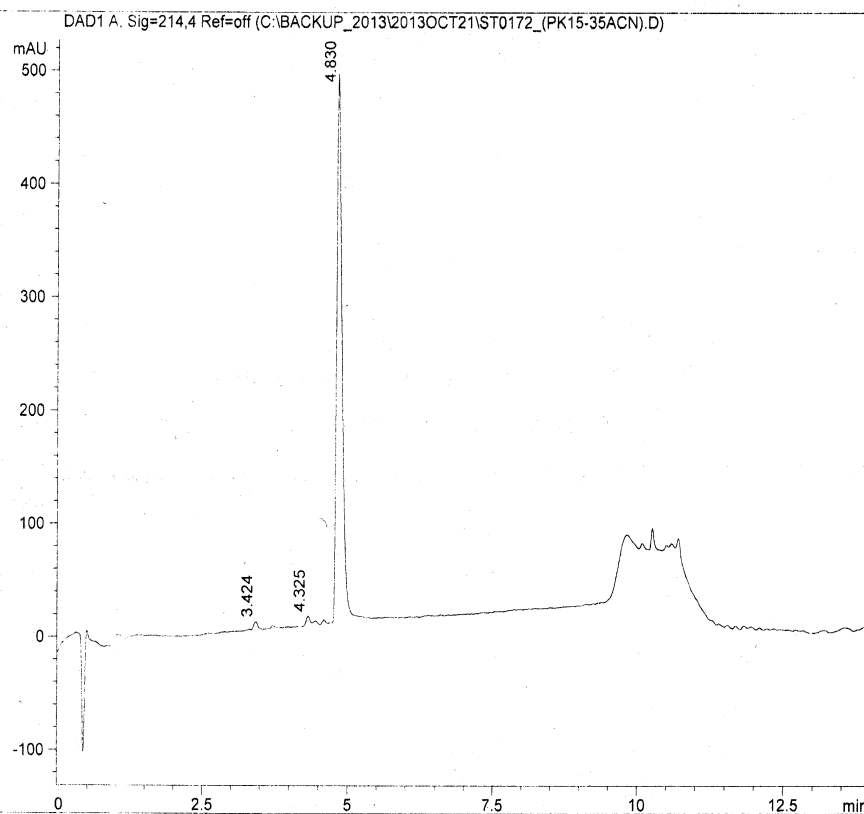
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Ret. Time	Height	Area	Area %
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4.123	71.555	404.414	22.961
4.509	17.195	74.617	4.236
5.512	17.928	62.696	3.560
5.784	8.954	29.146	1.655
5.920	233.886	913.110	51.842
6.890	12.708	61.328	3.482
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7.270	6.897	22.966	1.304
7.516	11.005	122.054	6.930

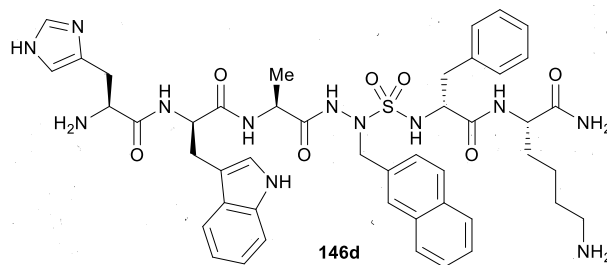
H-w-A-AcA (2-Naphthyl)-L-K-NH₂



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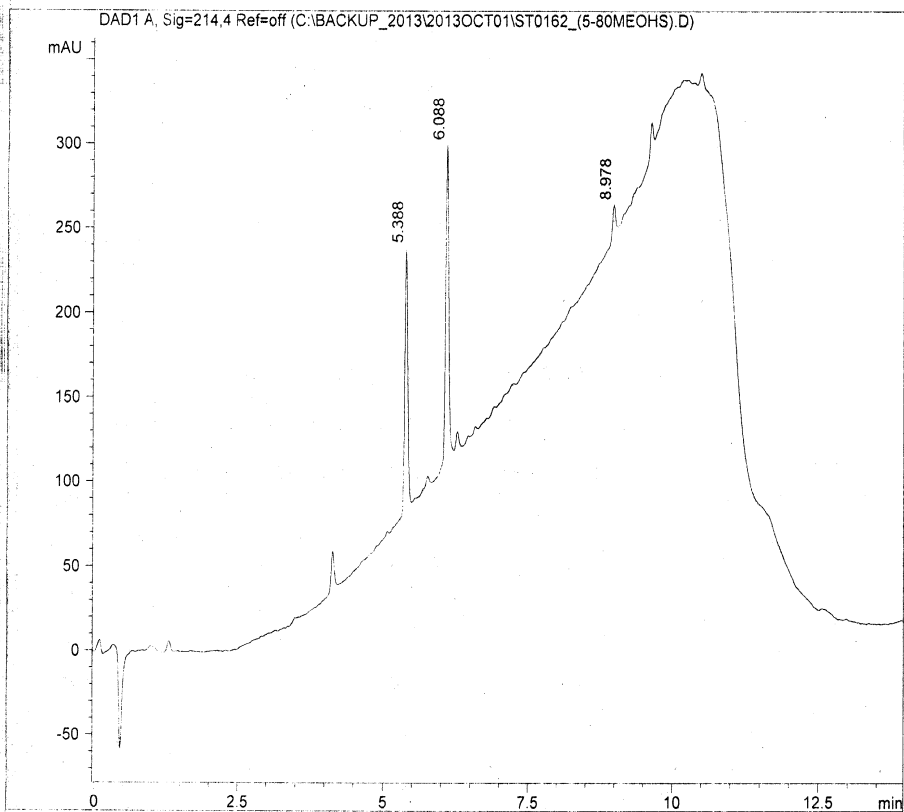
Ret. Time	Height	Area	Area %
3.424	6.332	26.025	0.816
4.325	7.040	27.106	0.850
4.830	484.855	3135.502	98.334

$$H-w-A-A_2A(2-Naphthyl)-f-K-NH_2$$


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Date: 1 October 2013

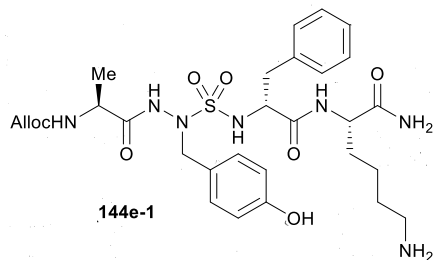
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Ret. Time	Height	Area	Area %
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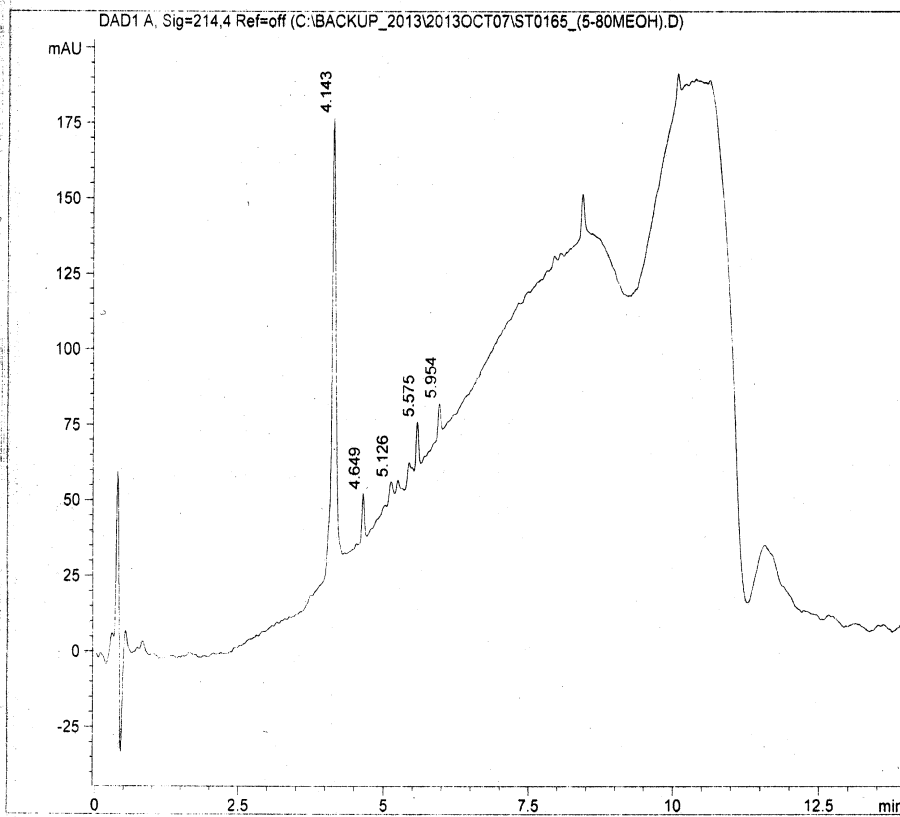
5.388	155.569	555.995	41.747	Alloc-A-AaG-f-K-NH ₂
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8.978	19.636	71.007	5.332	Alloc-A-AaY-(4-HO-Bm)-f-K-NH ₂



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Date: 7 October 2013

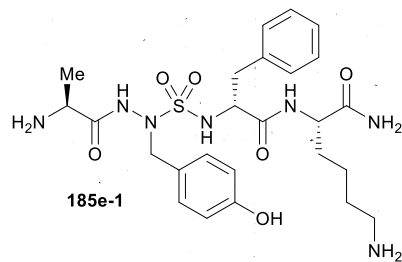
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Ret. Time	Height	Area	Area %
4.143	149.447	736.682	80.641
4.649	15.387	44.520	4.873
5.126	5.904	22.473	2.460
5.243	4.278	15.926	1.743
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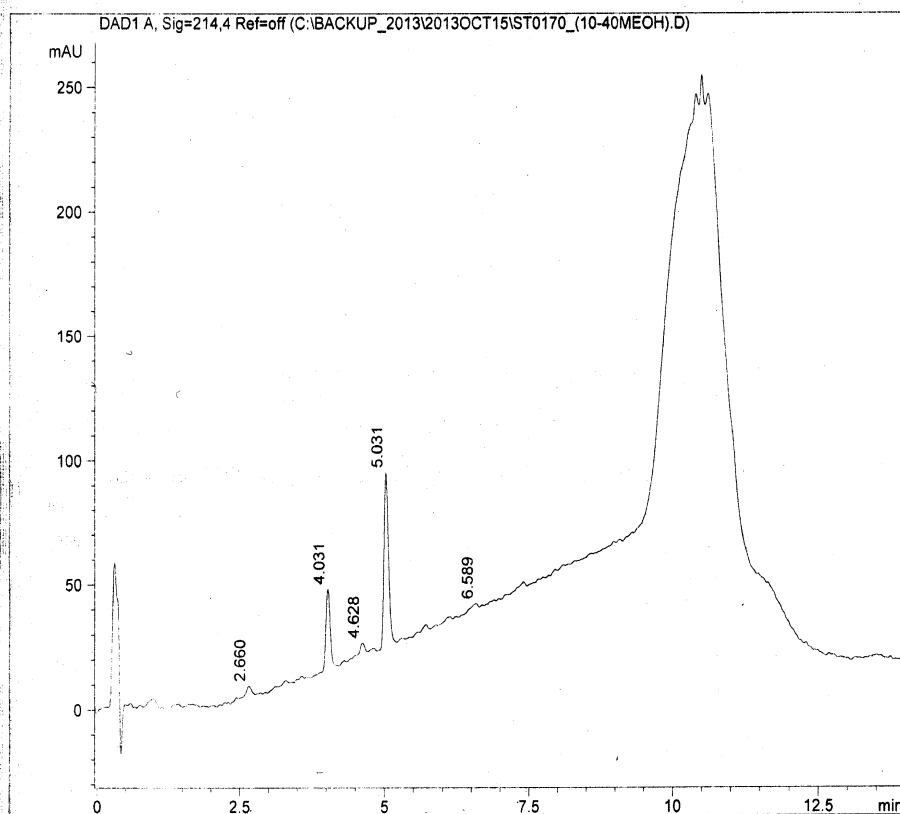
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Date: 16 October 2013

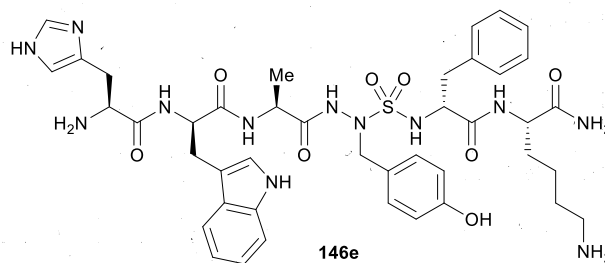
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DAD1 A, Sig=214,4 Ref=off

Ret. Time	Height	Area	Area %
2.660	3.571	18.573	3.125
4.031	32.210	162.362	27.316
4.628	4.341	21.647	3.642
5.031	69.816	371.979	62.583
6.589	2.043	19.815	3.334

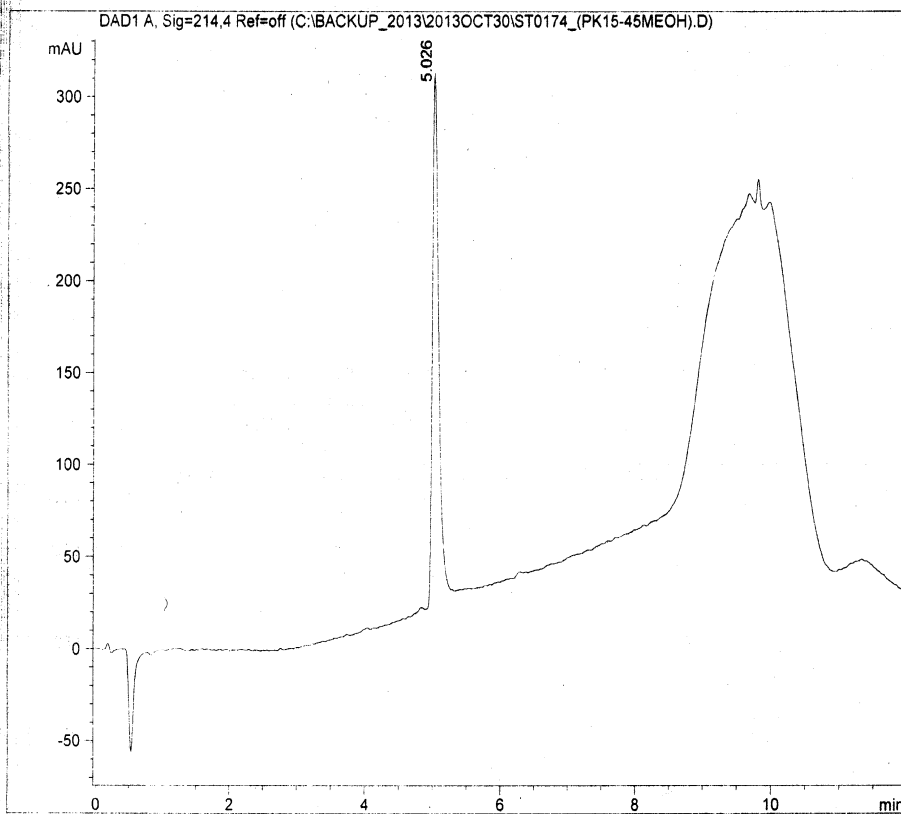
H-w-A-A-X-f-K-NH₂



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Date: 29 October 2013

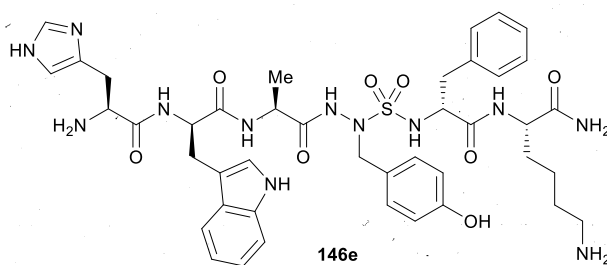
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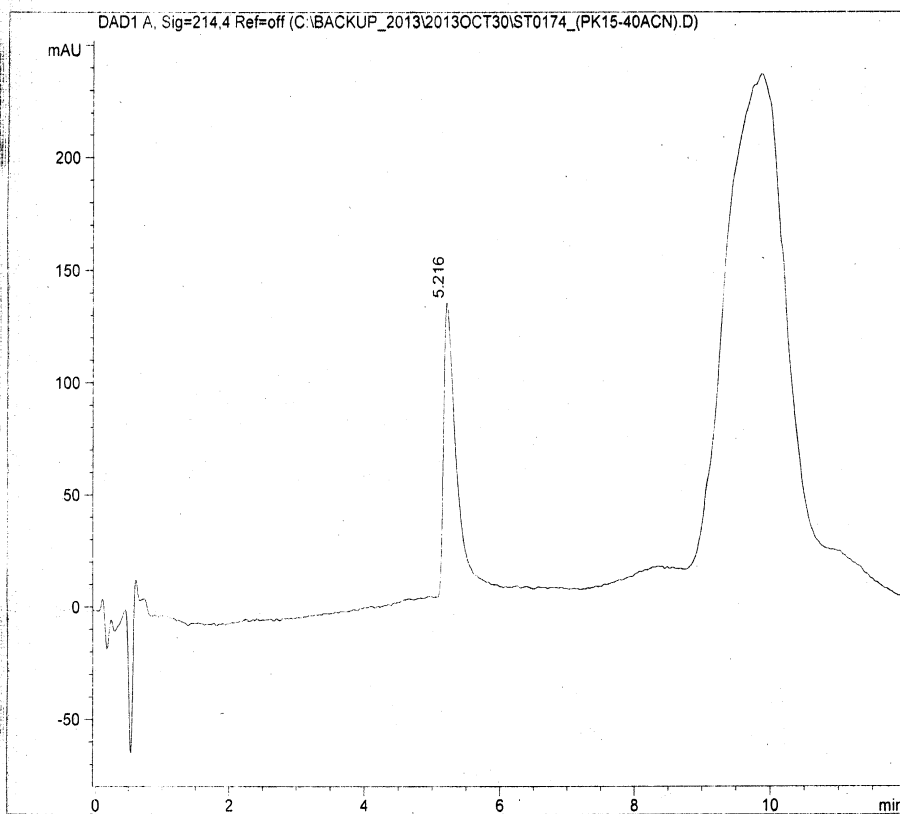
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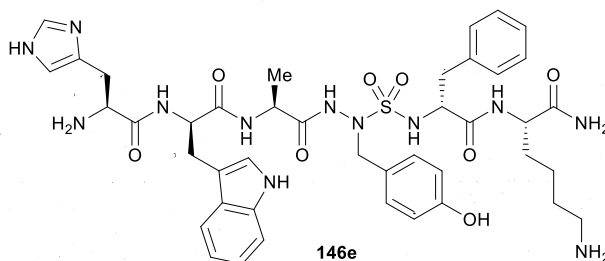
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Ret. Time	Height	Area	Area %
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H-w-A-AcY-f-K-NH₂

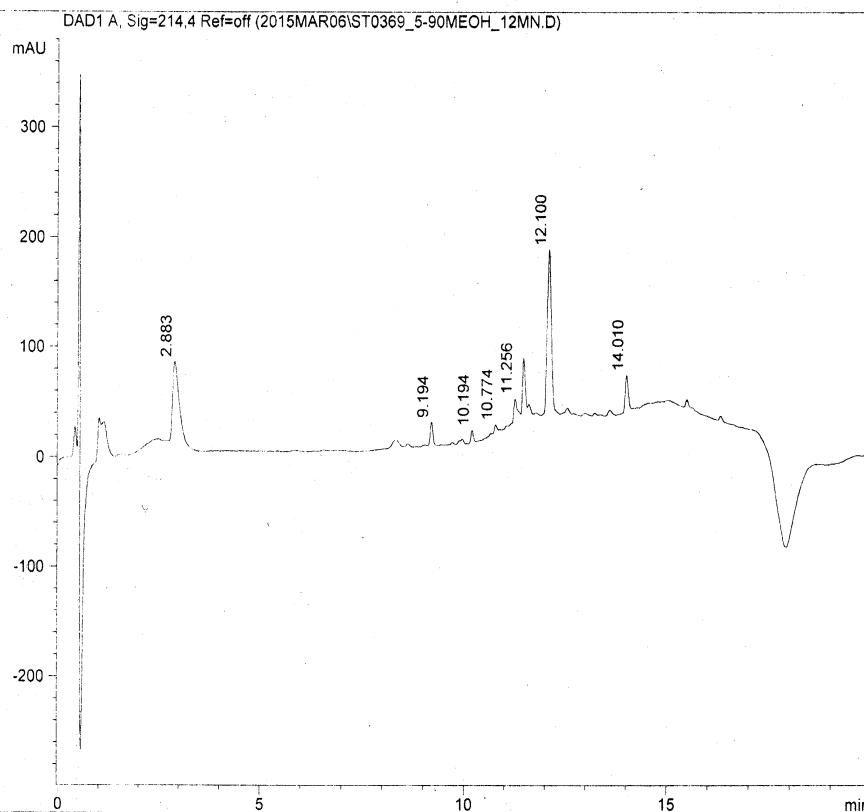


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Date: 6 March 2015

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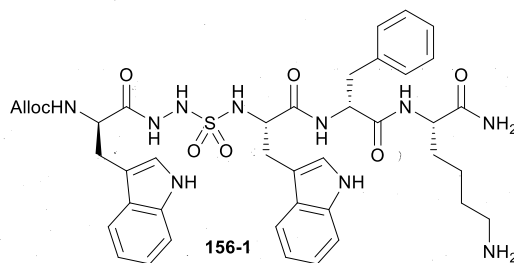


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Ret. Time	Height	Area	Area %
2.883	74.591	852.401	31.385
9.194	21.666	101.844	3.750
10.194	12.881	61.604	2.268
10.774	7.850	37.740	1.390
11.256	19.564	101.188	3.726
11.466	52.219	306.093	11.270
12.100	149.459	1079.040	39.730
14.010	33.117	176.042	6.482

Ac-f-K-NH₂

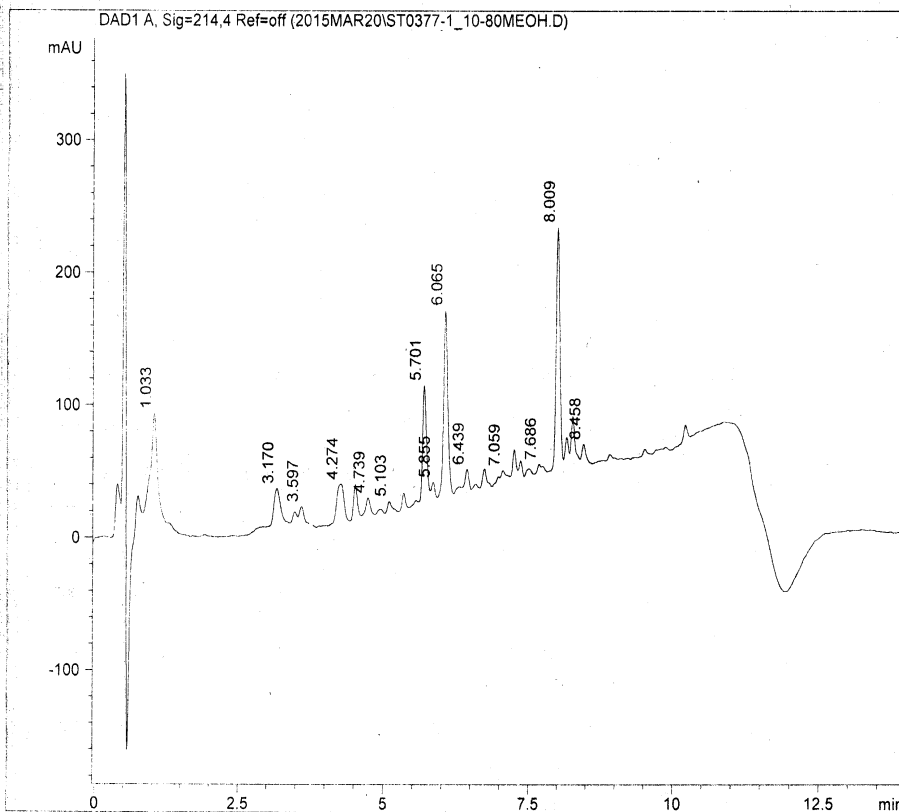
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Date: 20 March 2015

Acq method: C:\CHEM32\1\METHODS\LC_10_80_14MN_MEOH_



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Ret. Time	Height	Area	Area %
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3.170	27.546	210.342	5.474
3.597	13.641	130.656	3.400
4.274	29.530	250.466	6.518
4.521	25.873	111.211	2.894
4.739	12.909	60.967	1.587
5.103	9.261	55.191	1.436
5.351	12.801	46.027	1.198
5.701	84.754	370.463	9.641
5.855	9.763	32.312	0.841
6.065	138.893	670.517	17.449
6.439	13.974	52.403	1.364
6.738	13.244	56.741	1.477
7.059	7.514	53.095	1.382
7.255	17.689	57.023	1.484
7.369	10.088	33.995	0.885
7.513	4.597	24.923	0.649
7.686	6.057	31.525	0.820
8.009	178.648	764.761	19.902
8.166	15.026	44.619	1.161
8.270	30.252	112.509	2.928
8.458	12.265	50.223	1.307

w-AAG-W-f-K-NH₂

w-AA-W-f-K-NH₂

